

# WAR

# RAILROADS WIN NEW RATES

**Opulent Hotel Oak-  
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Oakland Visitor**

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fects. The commission held that the income of the railroads was smaller than is demanded in public interest, but that no showing had been made warranting a general increase in rates.

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The announcement is made by the St. Petersburg telegraph agency, which is considered the official news agency in Russia.

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—Emperor William signed an order mobilizing the German army at 5:15 o'clock this evening.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—The mobilization of the French army, according to the official decree, is to be completed at 11:59 o'clock Sunday night. The decree of mobilization of the French army has not terminated diplomatic relations between France and Germany. Conversations between the powers, notably between Russia and Austria, and between France and Germany continued this evening.

**ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.**—Martial law was declared tonight in St. Petetrsburg and the suburbs of the capital.

**ATHENS, Greece, Aug. 1.**—Austrian monitors on the Danube this morning renewed the bombardment of Belgrade and its surroundings, according to a telegram from Nish, Servia.

CALL and POST .....	23,432 Inches
BULLETIN .....	23,263 Inches
ENQUIRER .....	21,542 Inches

Japan will not intervene unless British interests in the Far East are endangered.

management of IDORA PARK will present the captor with an extra \$100 in GOLD, which will be entirely separate and distinct from the reward offered by THE TRIBUNE. This prize, as well as the SEASON'S prize offered by IDORA PARK and the prize offered by THE TRIBUNE, will be paid to the captor in cash.

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# GERMANY GETS ULTIMATUM TO DECLARE ATTITUDE IN 18 HOURS

## AMBASSADOR OF GERMANY TO QUIT ST. PETERSBURG

### England in Military Readiness For Impending European Conflict

#### KING GEORGE OF ENGLAND MAKES APPEAL FOR PEACE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Official advices received at the White House today report the German Ambassador leaving St. Petersburg today. The German Ambassador at Paris reported that a proposal to place German interests in France in his hands was being discussed there. No action has been taken by this government on the proposal for Ambassador Herrick to represent Germany in France, but officials expect that such details will devolve on American diplomats generally in Europe and will be assumed by them.

#### ULTIMATUMS TO RUSSIA AND FRANCE.

ROME, Aug. 1.—The Messagero today says that the German Ambassador has informed the Italian government that Germany has sent simultaneously ultimatums to Russia and France. The German government, in its ultimatum to Russia, asked her to suspend her mobilization within twelve hours. In the demand sent by Germany to France the government at Berlin requests France to inform within eighteen hours whether in case of war between Germany and Russia, France would remain neutral.

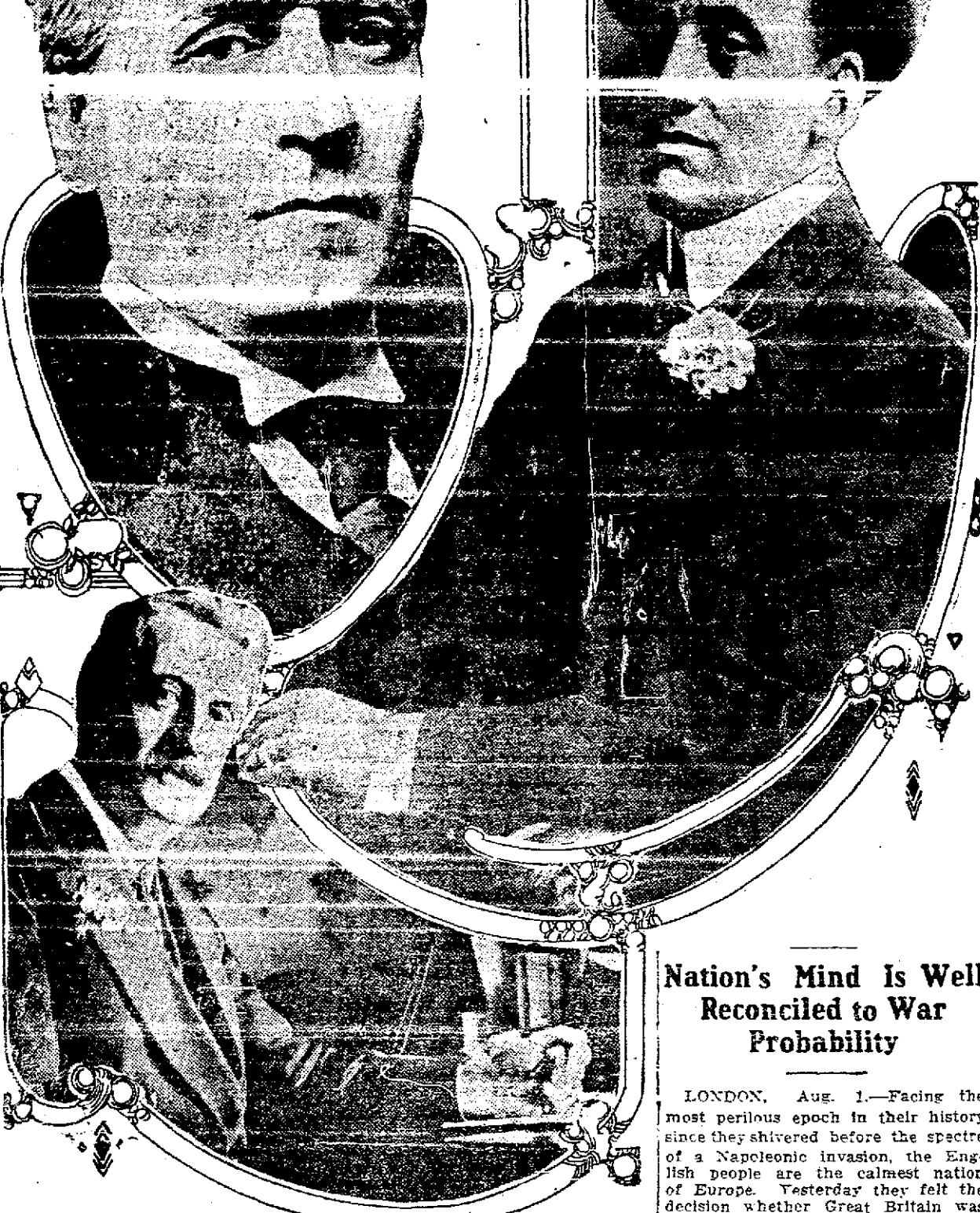
#### WOULD KNOW ITALY'S ATTITUDE.

The German Ambassador today also asked to be informed as to Italy's attitude in the event of war between Germany and Austria-Hungary on the one side and Russia and France on the other. The Marquis Di San Giuliano, the Italian foreign minister, said he would reserve his reply until he had consulted Premier Salandra.

According to the Messagero, during the interview which followed between the Marquis Di San Giuliano and Premier Salandra, the two Italian statesmen were in agreement as to the line of conduct to be pursued by Italy in the present crisis.

#### ITALY REMAINS NEUTRAL.

The Messagero declares that as it is not a question of a defensive war on the part of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the other two members of the triple alliance, Italy has decided to confine herself to pointing out to her allies that her treaty obligations with them do not oblige her to take up arms in the present crisis, and that she will remain neutral. The newspaper adds that it is not certain this neutrality will last until the end of the war, but Italy will stand aloof from hostilities as long as she is convinced that her interests are not infringed.



STRONG MEN OF ENGLAND WHO HAVE BURIED THEIR DIFFERENCES AND RALLIED TO THEIR COUNTRY'S SIDE: TOP (LEFT TO RIGHT), PREMIER ASQUITH, WHO IS WORKING FOR PEACE IN EUROPE, AND SIR EDWARD CARSON, WHO HAS PROMISED THE LOYALTY OF ELSTER. BELOW IS WILLIAM REDMOND, WHO SPEAKS FOR IRELAND'S READINESS TO PROTECT THE MOTHER COUNTRY.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Information reached the French here today that the German Ambassador in Paris has intimated that he purposes leaving his post today.

There were still being made in various directions to maintain the and that "conversations" had not ceased.

The German Ambassador to France had packed and was to leave at 1 o'clock when a dispatch reached him from making some sort of suggestion, which the French government took into consideration and about which it exchanged view London and St. Petersburg.

Arrangements were made last night by Myron T. Herrick, American Ambassador, acting under instructions from Washington, to take over the affairs of the German embassy, and Alexander H. Thacker, the American consul-general, is to take the affairs of the German consulate.

King George, in a final effort to prevent the outbreak of a general European war and the meeting of millions of men in conflict today at the eleventh hour, sent a dispatch to Nicholas of Russia and his message was understood to be an ultimate appeal for the preservation of peace. His majesty was taken after an audience with Premier Asquith at 10 o'clock this morning, when the war clouds were blackest.

At the same time from Rome came the news, published by the Messagero, that Italy had decided to remain neutral untackled. While this information was not confirmed, it was official circles to have "caused no surprise."

#### STEAMSHIP MEN FEAR MOVEMENT

##### Disturbed by Possibilities of Proposed Measures to Cover Threatened Wars.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Officials of the steamship association, composed of various coastwise lines, are disturbed by the news from Washington that a movement is on foot there to present an emergency measure to Congress, which would enable the large trans-Atlantic steamships to obtain American registers.

H. Raymond, president of the Association, said that he feared any hasty action by Congress might permanently injure the American merchant marine.

"At the present time under the 'Panama act of 1912,' Mr. Raymond said in a formal statement, 'any foreign built ship which at the time of its application for admittance to the American register is not more than five years old can become an American vessel. Its officers must be American citizens, however, and it can enter into all trades except the coastwise trade. Only American ships can enter the coastwise trade.'

The Association fears that unless Congress uses the proper deliberation in considering any measure to cover the threatened European wars, a blow at American shipping may be struck. For instance, the legislative body of the nation must be careful in revising any marine exchange to see that no error occurs by which these foreign vessels are allowed in the coastwise trade.

Telephone communication between London and Paris was interrupted today, the respective governments taking over the service in the event of a general European war. Communication between Paris and London was similarly interrupted.

In regard to the financial situation, the Bank of England, which again called on to supply an additional amount of gold, rate today to 9 per cent, higher than it had been since the Indian war in 1857.

The Bank of England's work on the premises, a night and day in turning out notes, as the bank has arranged issue bills to the maximum of machinery and its charter with a view to conserving its service.

AMERICAN SEEK PASSPO Many Americans still insist in obtaining passports from the States embassy mainly for the chance of obtaining a transit visa. Their reason for this is that members of their families those countries but some of them have important business transactions.

The censor drew a veil over developments might have been Russia and the German ultimatum to France and the Russian ultimatum to Germany.

The latest message to reach from Berlin was an official statement that Germany's ultimatum to Russia had expired at noon.

The Russian embassy in this evening hinted out the demand for Russia by Germany, but nothing against Germany's ultimatum to Russia.

When the news of King George's intervention was received, the ambassador here intimated that it "tended to revive hope."

JAPANESE NAVY PREPARED TOKIO, Japan, Aug. 1.—The Japanese navy has been prepared to meet any emergency and the main force of the fleet is now in the Pacific.

While nothing occurred like a run on the banks, there were symptoms which caused anxiety to everybody. Banks doing any ordinary commercial business refused to pay checks with gold and paid partly in gold and partly in Bank of England notes.

#### NATION'S MIND IS WELL RECONCILED TO WAR PROBABILITY

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Facing the most perilous epoch in their history since they shivered before the spectre of a Napoleonic invasion, the English people are the calmest nation of Europe. Yesterday they felt the decision whether Great Britain was to be drawn into a general European war was hanging in the balance; today they believe it is a probability rather than a possibility.

There is no mistaking the fact that with the exception of a minority of peace advocates whose voice is hardly heard and seems to carry little weight, the nation's mind is reconciled to war.

There have been no demonstrations, no flag waving, no music hall patriotism, but there is apparent among all classes a sober and grim determination of the government to declare that the nation's interests and obligations require her to take up arms side by side with Russia and France, to see the business through to the bitter end.

ENGLAND IS READY. The belief of the average man is that the existence of the whole of Europe as an armed camp, nervous and jealous, could have but one culmination and if the hour for a general settlement has struck, there will be no flinching.

The change that has swept over the temper of the country within a week is marvellous. A week ago the people were wrapped up in prize fights, the Goodwood races, the Cowes regatta, vacations on the continent; tonight they are asking only "can the British fleet play its part in protecting the island from invasion, which means in the first instance, can it destroy the German Emperor's navy?"

They are concerned also as to whether the food supplies can be maintained and to what extent private fortunes would be impaired by the financial upheaval of the war.

The military situation stands where it did last night. The mobilization of the naval forces has been completed and the army is on a war footing except for the calling of the territorialists. The machinery for their mobilization requires only a word to be set in motion.

PATRIOTISM RAMPANT. The request of the war office that the English newspapers refrain from publishing army and navy movements has met with a patriotic response. The London evening papers publish news concerning almost all the armies of Europe, except that of Great Britain, but regarding the whereabouts of the British fleet and the preparations of the British army they say nothing. There is a popular belief the fleet is in the neighborhood of Flushing, in the North Sea, but the truth is known only to the members of the government.

Dover and Sheerness are virtually on a war basis, and protective booms are ready to be drawn around at a moment's notice. The Calais and Ostend are likely to be transferred to Folkestone from Dover.

The war council of the British cabinet is composed of Mr. Asquith, the Prime Minister; Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs; Viscount Haldane, Lord High Chancellor, and Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty. They are the same ministers who directed the joint diplomatic and military policy of the country.

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#### WAR BULLETINS

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Every berth on the Trans-Atlantic steamers sailing before September 15 has been sold and many thousands of Americans traveling here have become almost panic stricken. One of them gave \$1000 today for a steerage ticket.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—President Wilson and Congress leaders agreed today on a bill to modify and amend the Panama Canal law to permit foreign ships to take American registry in the European crisis. It will be pressed for passage Monday.

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 1.—The Swedish government today issued an official notification of the strict neutrality in the European conflict.

CHRISTIANA, Aug. 1.—A decree issued today declares the complete neutrality of Norway.

#### TRANSPORTATION IS PROBLEM CONFRONTING ACTING CONSUL

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The perplexing problem of transporting hundreds of reservists and volunteers for military service in the Austro-Hungarian army today confronted Acting Consul General Winter.

Acting under orders from the Vienna government all temporary arrangements for sending reservists to Austria were suspended yesterday. About 700 Austrians are in the city and it has been arranged to begin assigning them to steamships today.

As a last resort in getting Austrian reservists and volunteers to the scene of the war it was rumored that the men might be sent to the West Indies, where several German warships are stationed.

No word has reached the Serbian consulate here summoning the reservists home. A reason for this is that it is impossible to communicate by cable with any point in Serbia at the present time. Professor I. M. Pupin, the Serbian consul-general, said that he had received assurances from hundreds of Serbs from all parts of the country that they were ready to respond to a call to arms.

The French, German and Russian consulates continue to show unusual activities in view of the threatening outlook in Europe. At the three consulates where many gathered it was announced that no orders had been received calling out the reserves living in this country.

#### SERIOUS OBSTACLES TO IMPORTING TRADE FEARED BY MERCHANTS

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—An almost complete suspension of the importing business of the country is near at hand, according to members of large importing firms.

The sailing of all vessels by German companies has been suspended. The sailing of all vessels by German companies has been suspended. The sailing of all vessels by German companies has been suspended.

Great difficulty is expected to be experienced in moving American goods because of the limited tonnage of the United States registry of steamships.

On the other side, in Europe, goods have been advanced from 10 to 15 per cent in European work.

From inability to fill orders, the prohibition of the exportation of the American goods, and the suspension of the sailing of all vessels by German companies, the situation reached a point where the merchants are in a panic.

#### KNOWLAND WINS VOTES IN VALLEY

Madera, Modesto and Merced Leaders Rally to His Support.

MADERA, Aug. 1.—Congressman Joseph R. Knowland addressed a large open air meeting here last night and was enthusiastically received. His candidacy for United States senator has every appearance of being popular in this section.

After leaving here he went to Modesto on his way to Fresno where another large meeting will be held. At Merced he was given a hearty reception. Many prominent leaders rallied to his support. He will spend Sunday in and around Fresno visiting many acquaintances.

The schedule for next week is a busy one, including speeches at Fowler, Sanger and Reedley Monday, at Visalia Tuesday and Hanford Tuesday night.

The congressman will visit small towns along the route, making the trip into the oil district at Coalinga and Oildale Wednesday and Thursday. From there he will go into the Lost Hills district, winding up Thursday night at a rally in Bakersfield.

#### AMERICAN TOURISTS IN ENGLAND SEEKING PASSAGES HOMEWARD

LONDON, Aug. 1.—American tourists in England entirely gave up their sight-seeing trips today and flocked to Cockspur street, where the headquarters of the trans-Atlantic steamship companies are situated, to try to book passages home.

The Cunard, the White Star and other British and the Dutch lines did an immense business accepting many passengers who had intended to sail on Hamburg-American liners, all of which had been definitely withdrawn from the service.

Thomas Nelson Page, American ambassador to Italy, who had booked on the Imperator, decided today to return to Rome in view of the critical situation.

#### GERMAN AND IRISH BASEBALL TOUR TO BE CALLED OFF

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—A proposed tour of Europe in the fall by All-German and All-Irish baseball clubs, which was to be called off, was today at headquarters of the Chicago American League club.

Ted Sullivan, manager of the league world tour by the Chicago Americans and New York Nationals, is marooned in Europe by the suspension of trans-Atlantic steamship sailings. Cable messages were sent to Sullivan today by the management of the White Sox, but it was said that none of them could be delivered. Sullivan was thought to be in England on his way to Ireland to arrange dates for the proposed tour.

#### MOTHERS GIVE DANCE

PRIVVATE, Aug. 1.—The Allendale Mothers' Club held another of its popular community dances in the auditorium of the Allendale school last night. In celebration of the commencement of the summer season by the club as a means of providing healthy recreation for the young people of the neighborhood, the dance was a big attraction.

#### BAY CITY SENDS MAKE WAR PLANS

Fifteen Societies Will Discuss Means of Sending Reserves Home Tonight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Officers of the fifteen Serbian and Croatian societies of San Francisco, Oakland, and the bay cities will meet at Serbian headquarters, 1034 Golden Gate avenue, tonight to appoint committees to collect funds for the furtherance of the Serbian cause.

At the same time names will be enrolled of those willing to return to their native country to take up arms against Austria, and means devised whereby the patriots may be aided to reach home.

This was decided upon at a big mass meeting of Serbians, Croats and representatives of kindred Slav nationalities held last night. More than 1500 men and women, fired with patriotism, pledged their support. A stirring declaration of independence against Austria-Hungary was ratified by the delegates, many of whom attended in the uniform of their individual sokols.

Delegations from San Jose, Fresno, Stockton and other cities were present.

Louis Drogo of San Francisco, president of the Serbian national fund, opened the meeting, during which cries of "Down with Austria" and "We will crush Austria" resounded on every side. M. Patanovich, the well known Serbian patriot, presided. M. Yefflich, editor of the Serbian Herald, read the proclamation, which was printed in a special edition of the Herald yesterday, calling upon all Slavs to rally to the aid of their country.

#### MAY INTERFERE WITH OPERA

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Developments of the last few days in the Austro-Serbian war that made it appear that all Europe might soon be involved has resulted in an unusual stir at the Metropolitan opera-house because a majority of the stars and members of the chorus who appear in opera and concert there are abroad this summer and many of

#### OAKLAND WOMAN WOULD GO TO WAR

Nurse Ready to Give Life for France If Called Upon.

"When France calls her children they always respond," said Mrs. Louise Keesling, a pretty Parisienne, residing in Oakland, who is an "ambulance" or ambulance directress of the French Red Cross.

"I for one am ready to give my life for France and will leave for the front when the call comes."

Mrs. Keesling, whose husband is a business man at 3522 Telegraph avenue, Oakland, passed her Red Cross examination in Paris, in which city she met Keesling and where they were married. She came to America two years ago.

"The French woman is patriotic above all things," she said, while deep in study over her French books on first aid to the injured, on nursing and medicine, and I am ready to go."

"I don't know whether there are any other members of the association here, but if there are, I hope they will follow my example."

"They told me at the consulate that they did not need me yet, but they took my name and address and promised me that they would notify me the minute 'La Patrie' calls."

"I do not hope for war, but if it happens I am ready. My husband agrees with me and will not object to my going."

#### MAIL DELAYED

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Letters addressed to European nations at war or that may become involved in war are certain to reach their destination eventually, although considerable time may be lost in transmission. The London mail conference of 1904 obligated belligerent nations to respect first-class mail and to forward with all possible dispatch even when taken from a confiscated ship. The parcels post and other classes of mail are not protected.

All 2-cent letters for Germany have been held up because of the tieup of the German liners. The 2-cent rate, which was established two years ago, is only for mail which is carried direct to Germany.

The 2-cent mail to Germany will be delayed as the post German ships to leave, said Assistant Postmaster Thomas F. Murphy today. "In case the sailing of German ships is stopped indefinitely it is difficult to say what will be done with the 2-cent mail."

"That will depend on orders from Washington. There will be new problems and they will have to be met as they arise. Letters to Germany with 5-cent postage may be sent in ships of other countries."

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# TELLS OF HIS POLICIES

## Legislation and Statewide Prohibition Amendment



FRANCIS V. KEESLING, WHO IS REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

"I seek the Republican nomination for Governor of California. I ask for it because I believe I can serve the people of this state and I ask only the people for it."

The last word in campaigning is the "Fredericks Navy." The managers of his campaign have inaugurated a new method of advancing his interests by putting two yachts in commission, each flying the Fredericks pennant, in which friends will canvass all the towns, large and small, along the coast from San Diego to Crescent City.

The first of these yachts, the Sweetheart, is now on the way from San Diego in charge of Commodore Leavitt. At every stopping place landing parties will be sent out and speeches will be made. Commodore Leavitt says the pennant flying at his mast head will never come down until Captain Fredericks goes to Sacramento to take up his four year residence there.

The other yacht, the Aloha, Arthur Sanger owner and captain, is now in the San Pedro harbor being fitted for the voyage. Like the first boat, the Aloha will stop at various points. Both yachts will carry large parties of friends of Captain Fredericks, many of them his close personal friends, and all will be prepared to deliver addresses in his behalf at every port touched.

In various counties of the state the clerks and registrars are engaged in making another registration. Total, Los Angeles county is Republican by a majority of more than 8,000 over the Progressives. The figures show an enrollment of 270, of which 102,709 are Republicans and 51,870 Progressives. The Democrats are third with 45,311, the Socialists have 13,225 and the Prohibitionists 13,382.

The Progressives are third in Solano. The county clerk estimates the total registration, after corrections are made at approximately 12,000, of which 6,000 will be in the city of Vallejo. At present the registration stands at 12,108, with Vallejo's enrollment 6,250, but it is presumed duplications will reduce the number somewhat. The figures at this time are: Republicans, 6,321, Democrats, 3,363, Progressives 1,422.

All over the state Republican gains are being noted and the prospects are that the first estimates of strength made will be below the actual figures.

Captain Fredericks will be in Redding tonight for one of the largest meetings of the campaign in that city. The gathering has been extensively advertised and the papers have directed attention to the personality of the candidate in such a way as to insure a large attendance. Captain Fredericks crossed the Coast Range this morning, speaking at small places en route. It is related that everywhere he went he was given a very cordial greeting. Next week he will speak at Red Bluff, Chico, Oroville, Woodland, Colusa and Napa.

To date the Fredericks managers have arranged for no meeting in Oakland, although it is stated he will appear in this city soon. Many inquiries have been received at THE TRIBUNE office asking when Captain Fredericks is to be here.

W. C. Ralston was at Santa Barbara yesterday following his campaign of nearly two weeks in the southern part of the state. He spent the day in and around the city, addressing several small gatherings, and in the evening made an address to a fair sized audience in the ball room of a local hotel. Ralston expects to arrive in San Francisco tonight.

Charles King, Democratic aspirant for the nomination for governor, left last night for Salinas where today he is attending the last day of the rodeo in progress there. Monday Mr. King is going to Los Angeles to wage a campaign in the southern end of the state.

Florence J. O'Brien, Progressive candidate for secretary of state, declares Napa county will go "overwhelmingly" for Johnson in November. The Republican registration of Napa is 2,514, Progressive 1,240 and Democrats 1,720, the Progressives being the tall enders.

Francis V. Keessling's Southern California managers have arranged for 53 speeches in various portions of the territory contiguous to Los Angeles during his campaign next week. The candidates will travel over the district in an automobile, accompanied by a party of friends and a life and drum corps.

The Democratic "Write-In" Club, at first treated lightly, is rapidly growing and its membership is increasing daily. The organization was formed July 25 at the Argonaut hotel in San Francisco and branches are being organized all over the state. The object is to defeat the effects of the "house-footers" who have captured Democratic nominations on the state ticket and to provide a means for voting a complete Democratic ticket at the primary. Lorin A. Handley has been named for state treasurer, Mrs. Nellie G. Donahue for secretary of state, J. Early Craig for attorney-general and Lawrence A. Futer for controller. Names of candidates for Congress and the Senate and Assembly in minus districts will be supplied when these districts are heard from.

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Charles M. Belshaw left this morning for the south where he will spend three weeks campaigning. Belshaw travels in an automobile. Today he held a meeting in San Jose, tomorrow he will speak in Los Gatos, Santa Cruz and Watsonville. Monday in Hollister, Tuesday, Pacific Grove, Monterey, Salinas and King City; Wednesday, Paso Robles; Thursday, San Luis Obispo and Santa Maria, Friday, Santa Barbara; Saturday, Oxnard and Ventura. His meeting at San Jose will be in the evening in front of the Auerbach building on Santa Clara street, near the electric light tower. C. L. Witten will preside.

James E. Stockwell, Republican candidate for controller against John S. Chambers, was in San Francisco yesterday in the interests of his candidacy. Mr. Stockwell is from Los Angeles, and while Chambers succeeded in getting enough signatures to place him on the primary ballot as a Republican and a Democratic candidate, the straight Republicans and old line Democrats will endeavor to defeat him for a place on either ticket at the general election.

Samuel M. Shortridge, Republican aspirant for the Senate, will return from his tour through the northern counties tomorrow, and today evening will address a meeting in the Garden theater in San Jose. Mr. Shortridge lived in Santa Clara county when a boy and was educated there. Tuesday he speaks at San Luis Obispo, Wednesday at Santa Barbara and Thursday at Ventura. From Ventura he will go to Los Angeles.

The Bay Point Republican club has endorsed the candidacy of Hon. Joseph R. Knowland for the United States Senate.

Thomas F. Griffin, Democratic candidate for the Senate, who is in the northern part of the state, has informed his headquarters that he is meeting with success in securing many quarters for his campaign. Griffin is to speak at Red Bluff, where he is assured of a large meeting. Monday and Tuesday he will travel through Colusa and Glenn counties. Wednesday he will speak at Chico, Thursday at Woodland and Friday at Auburn. The last week before the campaign Mr. Griffin will spend in Sacramento and San Francisco.

Advises outside political headquarters are to the effect that Mr. Griffin has been making a very effective campaign wherever he has been and that when the votes are counted following the primary it will be found that James D. Phelan has not had everything his own way. Some of Griffin's friends are predicting that he will win the election.

Justice Angelotti, who is making the race for chief justice of the Supreme Court, has the effect that he has been making great gains. His endorsement by the Bar Association of San Diego was followed by an endorsement by the Young Men's Republican club. Justice Angelotti was elected to the Supreme Court by a majority of more than 50,000 as a Republican. The judiciary, having been taken out of politics, his friends are predicting for him a greater success in the coming election.

Miss Alice H. Dougherty, candidate for county superintendent of schools of Alameda county, has opened campaign headquarters in room 405 Athens hotel, 1555 Broadway. Attorney J. W. Dignan will be in charge and will have the active management of her campaign.

Thomas Monahan, candidate for state treasurer on three tickets; Mrs. Thomas P. Hogan and William R. Geary, who is seeking a nomination for Congress, were the speakers at neighborhood meetings at 488 East Fourteenth street last evening. Geary will speak before the South Melrose club tonight.

Congressman Joseph R. Knowland, candidate for the Republican nomination for Senator, arrived in Fresno today following a trip through Modesto and Merced, where he was met by a delegation from the Fresno Knowland Senatorial club, headed by Arthur Tarpey, president, and escorted to his hotel. Tonight Mr. Knowland will address a large outdoor meeting at Court House square, held under the auspices of the club. Mr. Knowland's trip through the San Joaquin valley has been one continuous greeting and the candidate has made a profound impression wherever he has appeared. During the day Mr. Knowland made an auto tour through the districts in the vicinity of Fresno.

Colored women of San Francisco have organized a club to work in the interest of the candidacy of A. L. Shinn for lieutenant-governor. Shinn's campaign thus far is progressing to the entire satisfaction of himself as his friends.

Frederick S. Stratton's candidacy for the office of Justice of the Peace, District First District, short term, has received the endorsement of a number of prominent citizens of San Jose. Stratton has been formed with the following officers: L. C. Oliver, president; R. G. Bent, first vice president; William F. Sullivan, second vice president; S. M. Dodge, secretary, and J. Von Haxzen, treasurer.

Republican clubs are being formed in every district, having for an object the advancement of the candidacy of Charles A. Strong for member of the State Assembly. Strong has during the last week made a house to house canvass of various sections of his district in order to become better acquainted with the voters. On next Wednesday night strong will address a meeting of the Central Oakland Republican Club to be held in the Burbank Hall, Forty-second street and Twentieth.

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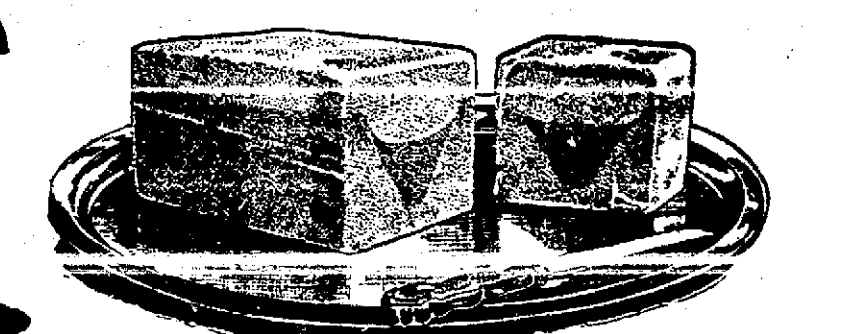
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graph avenue. Residents of the district are invited to attend.

The Northern California Branch of the National Association organized since April, 1912, was active during the last session of Congress in calling the attention of their representatives in Congress to some matters that particularly concerned the colored race. These matters were given due consideration by Congressmen Knowland.

The local officers include well known white people as well as active colored men and women and the organization is based on co-operation between the two races.

There are eight thousand colored people in Alameda county who pay taxes on a million and a half dollars of property and they are alive to their interests.

On Monday evening, August 3, 8:30 o'clock at Chabot Hall under the auspices of this organization the following program will be rendered:

Reading—"Interpretations of Paul Lawrence Dunbar"—Madam Jeter Davis. Vocal Solo—Mr. Ivan H. Browning. Address—"Official Life in Washington"—Mrs. Joseph R. Knowland.

Duet—Miss Lida Gilbert, soprano; Mr. Ivan Browning, tenor. Address—Prison Reform and the Honor System—Mrs. Helen K. Williams of San Francisco.

The public is invited.

A number of pupils of the Grant School of which Henry C. Petray is the principal, have banded together for the purpose of aiding Petray in his campaign for the office of Superintendent of Schools of Alameda county. Hundreds of letters are being sent by the pupils to their relatives and friends asking their support for him. In addition to this the school children in Oakland to ask their parents to vote for Petray.

An enthusiastic political meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George S. Pierce, 439 East Fourteenth street, on Thursday evening, July 30. Among the candidates present was County Superintendent of Schools George W. Frick who outlined the scope and character of the work of his office and asked support from the efficient administration of the same during the past two terms. His remarks were received with hearty approval by those present.

Arthur Elston, Progressive candidate for Congress, addressed a large gathering at Plymouth Center in Piedmont last evening. He also was a speaker at a house meeting in the annex district in Oakland and later spoke to a gathering of citizens in West Oakland. He is receiving very strong support in all parts of Oakland and his friends predict his nomination over W. R. Geary.

Tonight Mr. Elston will speak in Elmhurst and also at Albany, and on Monday night he is to be a speaker at the meeting of the Union Civic Center at Hayward. Among the prominent men of Oakland who are behind Elston are the following: Senators Breed and Johnston, James P. Eloff, Warren Oliver, Jr., Dr. Sarah L. Shuey, Annie Florence Brown, Judge William E. Donahue, Arthur A. B. Carey, Green Majors, J. C. Shinn, Dr. A. S. Kelly, Dr. H. G. Thomas, Max Thelen, Charles E. Snook, Dr. George C. Pardee, Assemblyman George Gelder, Carl Walliser, Professor Thomas J. Reed, Fred G. Athearn, Assemblyman J. C. Young, H. H. Patterson, Robert Collins, J. H. Boyer, Henry Welking, L. C. Robinson, A. B. Carey, W. N. Ganno, and others.

C. F. Horner, incumbent, and candidate for re-election as county assessor, last night addressed a large number of voters at the Stacker Club. Horner reviewed his work in office, outlined some of his plans for the future and placed himself on record as being opposed to the poll tax system. He was vigorously applauded and assured the support of the audience.

Later Horner spoke at the Fifty-second avenue home of Mrs. A. C. Christensen, where a large and enthusiastic meeting was held. The house was crowded to its capacity and even the yard and the immediate sidewalk were filled with people anxious to hear Horner and to endorse him for re-election.

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# MRS. KNOWLAND AT MELROSE MEETING

Addresses Union Civic Center, Furthering Husband's Candidacy for Senatorship.

Mrs. Joseph R. Knowland had an enthusiastic reception at a political house-meeting last night at the home of Mrs. A. C. Christensen at 2213 East Fourteenth street where she spoke on behalf of her husband. The gathering was under the auspices of the Melrose Union Civic Center and was attended by over 100 of the residents of the district, including representatives of other social and civic organizations. Besides Mrs. Knowland a number of the other candidates for office addressed the meeting. Following the meeting the company adjourned to Paterson's hall in Melrose and finished up the evening with a ball.

George A. Ingraham presided and introduced the following speakers: Mrs. Joseph R. Knowland, Judge Aaron Turner, candidate for Justice of the Peace, Elston, candidate for Congress, Carl Woods, candidate for District Attorney, R. Morgenstern, candidate for Assembly, E. P. Garrison, candidate for Auditor, Charles W. Feyer, candidate for Supervisor, W. H. L. Hynes, candidate for District Attorney, Harry Boyle, candidate for County Clerk, Frank Barnett, candidate for Sheriff, Samuel Poorman, candidate for State Senator, M. J. Kelly, candidate for Treasurer, and Harry Enell, candidate for Assembly. T. G. West, candidate for State Senator, was represented by Mr. Bates.

ENCOURAGING INTEREST SHOWN. "California has been represented in the United States Senate for twenty years by a man from Alameda county," said Mrs. Knowland, "and Alameda county will continue to be represented in the Senate by an Alamedan in Joseph R. Knowland." Mrs. Knowland said she need hardly go into detail in regard to her husband's candidacy, his seventeen years in office making him and his work well known to her hearers.

"The latest woman on the ticket in politics in the present campaign is very encouraging," said Mrs. Knowland. "In my travels throughout the state I find women are taking an intelligent interest in politics. Every woman whose husband is running for office should take an active part in furthering his candidacy and it is every woman's duty to register and vote and to make women a power in politics." The other candidates gave their political opinions and were all warmly received.

ARRANGING ANOTHER MEETING. Following the address an executive committee of the Civic Center served refreshments to the company. A number of the candidates stayed to take part in the dance. On the executive committee were Mrs. George A. Ingraham, chairman, Mrs. Sarah Greenwood, Mrs. Harry Boyle, Mrs. A. C. Christensen, Mrs. Theresa Kaiser and Mrs. Fred Gettiffe.

The Center is arranging for another political meeting which will probably be held at the home of one of the members. Public interest in politics in Melrose was evidenced by the enthusiasm displayed at last night's meeting.

ELECTION HARD ON POLICE. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Anticipating a strenuous time at the primary election and believing that from four to five days will be required to count the ballots, Chief of Police White issued orders today that the entire department to the number of 927 men would have to be continuously on duty from August 25 to August 30. This means that about 75 officers will have to change their vacation plans and numbers of those who would be away on leave during the period named will have to cancel their engagements. The police will stand twelve-hour watches during the election period.

PRIEST TAKES VACATION. FRUITVALE, Aug. 1.—Rev. Father Idephonse of St. Elizabeth's church has gone to Lake County for a short vacation. He will return some time next week. Father Idephonse has charge of the young men's work in connection with St. Elizabeth's parish and is very popular with the members of St. Joseph's Sodality. In the activities of which he takes a leading part.

CONTINUE GRAIN EMBARGO. TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 1.—The grain embargo against the port of Galveston, Texas, will be continued until August 7. This was decided today at a meeting of officials of the Atchafalaya, Topeka and Santa Fe and Rock Island railroads.

BIG EAGLE KILLED. PETALUMA, Aug. 1.—Russell Gaston, son of a Two Rock farmer, yesterday killed one of the largest eagles in the county, and died was an old one, and had one leg only. It measured 7 feet from tip to tip.

Street: Emil Heinrich, 1515 Alameda Street; J. D. Scott, 107 Thirteenth Street; William J. Bolce, 39 Montell Street; R. L. Davis, 3002 West Street; A. J. Leroux, 222 Sixteenth Street; M. J. Hall, 1203 Main Street, Albany; F. W. Alda, 2233 East Twenty-second Street.

CAFE TO PAY CHURCH DEBT. SANTA ROSA, Aug. 1.—For the purpose of paying off indebtedness on the First Baptist church of this city the church built out of one red tree—five prominent men of the congregation have purchased the Central restaurant in this city and will run it, devoting profits to paying off the church debt.

AMENDMENT ADDED TO TRADE COMMISSION BILL. WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The Cummins amendment for a limited court review of the proposed trade commission orders is distinguished from the broad review proposed by the Fomenko amendment, was incorporated by the Senate today in the Trade Commission Bill by a vote of 55 to 30.

NEW MACHINE. "Johnson says he kicked out the railroad machine. True, but now we have the Johnson machine, worse in every way, bolder, more powerful and more dangerous. And his employees, on salary, are patrolling the state. "Honest politics need no henchmen. If Hiram Johnson had a good administration we would not get out without paid state employees stamping the state to tell us about it."

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## An Oakland Boy Wins High Honors

W. E. Gibson, President of the well-known Polytechnic Business College of Oakland, has reason to feel highly honored through the success of many recent graduates of his college.

Mr. Frank M. Rose, whose portrait appears herewith, was recently selected as member of the Hughes-Paine Commission Conference by the U. S. Government.

In a recent letter to Mr. Gibson, President of the Polytechnic Business College, Mr. Rose says: "Perhaps it would be of interest to you to know that when I left your college in August, 1911, I immediately went to work for one of the well-known Court Reporters of the City of Oakland, doing transcribing and deposition work, and my first month's salary amounted to \$125. I have never had the slightest trouble in reading or transcribing in both shorthand and typewriting has naturally increased since I left college, but I can conscientiously say that I would never have been able to do satisfactory shorthand work had it not been for the thorough and systematic training I received at the hands of your very competent teachers, both in theoretical and advanced shorthand."

"To anyone desiring a solid foundation for a future business life, there is nothing like shorthand, and the manner in which it is taught at the Polytechnic compels me to recommend your courses, and speaking from experience, never to be regretted."

"With kind regards







# The Meddler

**"VACATION."** That is the theme of the hour. Everywhere one lives up to the slogan of the "Summer Holiday." One set of people find an answer beside the brooks, fishing for the trout that refuse to be caught. For trout develop a special sense of wisdom in the midsummer days. Another set of men think they are gaining a summer rest in a chase for the elusive deer which lurk in far-away forests. Still others are finding vacation pastime in moun-

tain which is its charm. The roads are full of motorists, whose machines shriek with wild noises as they eliminate distances, and whose horns echo madly around dangerous curves in mountain fastnesses. To others a beach brings joy—just to be lazy on the beach and watch the waves; to idle long hours away; to take no note of time—that is what the Summer vacation may mean to many. In the heart of the summer vacation days lie the hunting and fishing expeditions, the summer picnics, the motor trips, the yachting, the things one loves best to do, when Fate calls a halt in the day's work.

No one "loved to loaf" as did Robert Louis Stevenson. Just to be going somewhere was his motto. He never wanted to arrive. You never took a trip just for the sake of arriving anywhere he tells us, you take a trip just to know you're on the way. And he traveled with that famous little stubborn donkey "Modestine," instead of in a great shrieking high-power motor car.

If "just to be going" is the keynote of a vacation, the midsummer days might be full of charm for dwellers around the bay. But sometimes it takes an Easterner to be so wildly enthusiastic that one's own eyes are opened to the charm of the true environment that makes the background against which most of our daily lives are lived.

Some very distinguished Easterners have come among us, though we do not know who they are. They have been sending wonderful sketches from California, and lo, some of them represent pictures which must have been taken from our own Claremont or Piedmont hills. Everywhere in the East they are reading this message:

"This bay forms the center of the hill top vision in which the canyon culminates. Over its misty brightness, broken by islands and busy with plying ferries, we look straight west to the Golden Gate, through which stream steady ships laden with Hawaiian sugar or tea and rice from China and Japan. Between us and the shining waves stretch in unbroken mass the gray roofs of two merging cities, and sometimes at their edge, beside the margin of the bay, there floats the white steamer of a train. Possibly that train has spent three energetic days in traversing the great deserts and Sierras that part us from our past. Across the water to the north there rises blue Tamalpais, a promontory sought by sailor far out on the Pacific. Looking across the bay we discern the steep streets of the cosmopolitan metropolis that bears St. Francis' name—unique city with buildings all under a decade old; place loved of old by Spanish Franciscans, the goal today of European peasants so soon to journey by the thousands through the new canal."

In this way do strangers see our foothills—and in midsummer days it is good to remember that these are our foothills; this our bay, our Golden Gate—and vacation days spent in their midst must be full of Nature's rarest charm.

## BRIDGE AND THOSE WHO PLAY IT.

In almost all the large country places on our hill slopes there are many afternoon gatherings; there are readings, afternoon teas and bridge for those who care to play. The readings are in the drawing rooms for the most part, and it is quite surprising what good work is being done. Many people are interested in the new dramas, and the informal discussion which follows a reading is worth while. Tea is often served in the pretty, comfortable tea houses now so often to be found in any of the larger gardens, or in the rose-covered pergolas, which are so daintily picturesque. Bridge is played on the wide verandas, and if one's thoughts soar often to the mountains behind one, and to the shining sea in the far distance, so much the worse for the game. There has never been

any many informal gatherings. And they are delightful because only one's friends are asked to them. The conventionalities will not be observed, and entertainments will not be given simply to one's friends. The games of cards mark many good times, and they are part

of the vacation that one may enjoy in the heart of the midsummer days. "Better bridge" seems to be the slogan of the hour, and some of the best bridge players are struggling with nullo, and achieving very good results.

There is one thing, however, that players do here that is not found to any such extent in the East or in London—and that is the fashion of "doubling." A player will force the bids upward and then "double," and one hears the inevitable "redouble,"

realms of skill and throws it to chance. One of the greatest experts in bridge in the United States writes of this very fashion of "doubling": "I cannot understand the idiotic doubles that I frequently see. If a player must err in doubling, I should rather have him err on the safe side. I should prefer to have him double too little rather than too much. By missing a chance of doubling you cut your profits down, but you still make profits, nice, sure, safe profits. By doubling when you shouldn't you either warn your quarry away to safety, or you enable him to score twice as much as he was going to, and to get a nice bonus besides. In either case you yourself get nothing. And, in addition, you give your enemy a chance to redouble and to increase his hand four-fold. I double rarely, and the word 'redouble' scarcely ever passes my lips."

Here is the latest "nullo" rule: "To expect your partner to meet you half way on nullo ground, you should hold any long suits and very short suits, preferably singletons or blank suits. You should hold se-

her guests dainty candlesticks, very pretty to look at, but in these days of electric lights of no use to anyone. There was a time when hostesses had a tad for giving cups and saucers, and they were really very expensive gifts. And here again they were only a burden. Venetian mirrors and pretty tapestry boxes proved more popular, as did dainty embroidered lingerie. Handkerchiefs are not exactly popular, because they may cost a great deal and the price not be apparent, and books ought to be abundant and number bridge prizes but they never are.

The prettiest prizes this summer are proving to be sewing bags, and the more expensive ones are beautifully equipped. The sewing bag may be a thing of beauty, and it certainly is a joy forever when one is traveling. In the lovely work bag are all sorts of materials, and one may fashion many dainty articles in the leisure hours of a long afternoon in the mountains and sea shore. And a wise woman will always take her work bag when she spends a few days as a house guest, or when it is a matter of an afternoon with a friend.

## MRS. HENRY M. BULL WILL BE BRIDE.

Wedding bells ring merrily even in midsummer days, and indeed the June weddings were among the most elaborate social dates of the year. Engagement announcements that betoken nearby weddings continue to be made. The first of these is the announcement of the engagement of Mrs. Henry Miles Bull to Dr. Rothganger of San Francisco.

Mrs. Bull is the daughter of Mrs.

ing card clubs in our city. She is a very attractive brunette, and dresses always in exceedingly good taste.

Dr. Rothganger is a retired army surgeon, who makes his home at the Fairmont, across the bay. He is a man of much culture, one who has traveled far, and a man extremely popular with his friends.

Dr. Rothganger and Mrs. Bull will be married early in September, and after a wedding trip they will return to Oakland, to reside in the old-time family home on San Pablo avenue.

Mrs. Bull's daughter, Mrs. Thomas Veitch (Elizabeth Latnam), has also



MRS. WILLIAM HAYDOCK FILLMORE, ONE OF THE SEASON'S ATTRACTIVE BRIDES.—Habenicht Photo.

MISS PAULINE PAINTER, ONE OF THE BEAUTIFUL GIRLS OF OAKLAND'S YOUNGER SET.—Habenicht Photo.

quences or near-sequences, and a mixed hand—that is, high cards guarded with low ones; but not all the low cards should lie in your hand." This advice was given by an "auction expert," and it is widely different from the rules by which many really good players are now governed.

It is interesting to note the style of prizes that reward the efforts of bridge players. One hostess gave to

one of the pioneer families of the city, the old-time Chamberlain home on San Pablo avenue being one of the first large homes to be established in our city. Mrs. Bull is a member of the Ladies' Relief Association and of the Ebell Club, besides belonging to some of the land-

week to Frederick Mueller. The groom-elect is the auditor of the Peoples Water Company and a prominent young man of this city.

Mr. Mueller and Mrs. Veitch are to be quietly married in church, about the middle of August. No formal invitations will be sent out, the bride

saking her friends in a most informal way to assemble at the church. After a wedding trip, the young people are planning to establish their home in this city.

MRS. THOMAS MEIN HOSTESS AT LUNCHEON. Mrs. Thomas Mein was a hostess

Monday at one of the elaborate luncheons of the mid-summer. Her guest of honor was Mrs. Helen K. Williams, one of the aspirants for the position of Lieutenant-Governor of the state. Other guests from San Francisco were Mrs. Florence Rich-

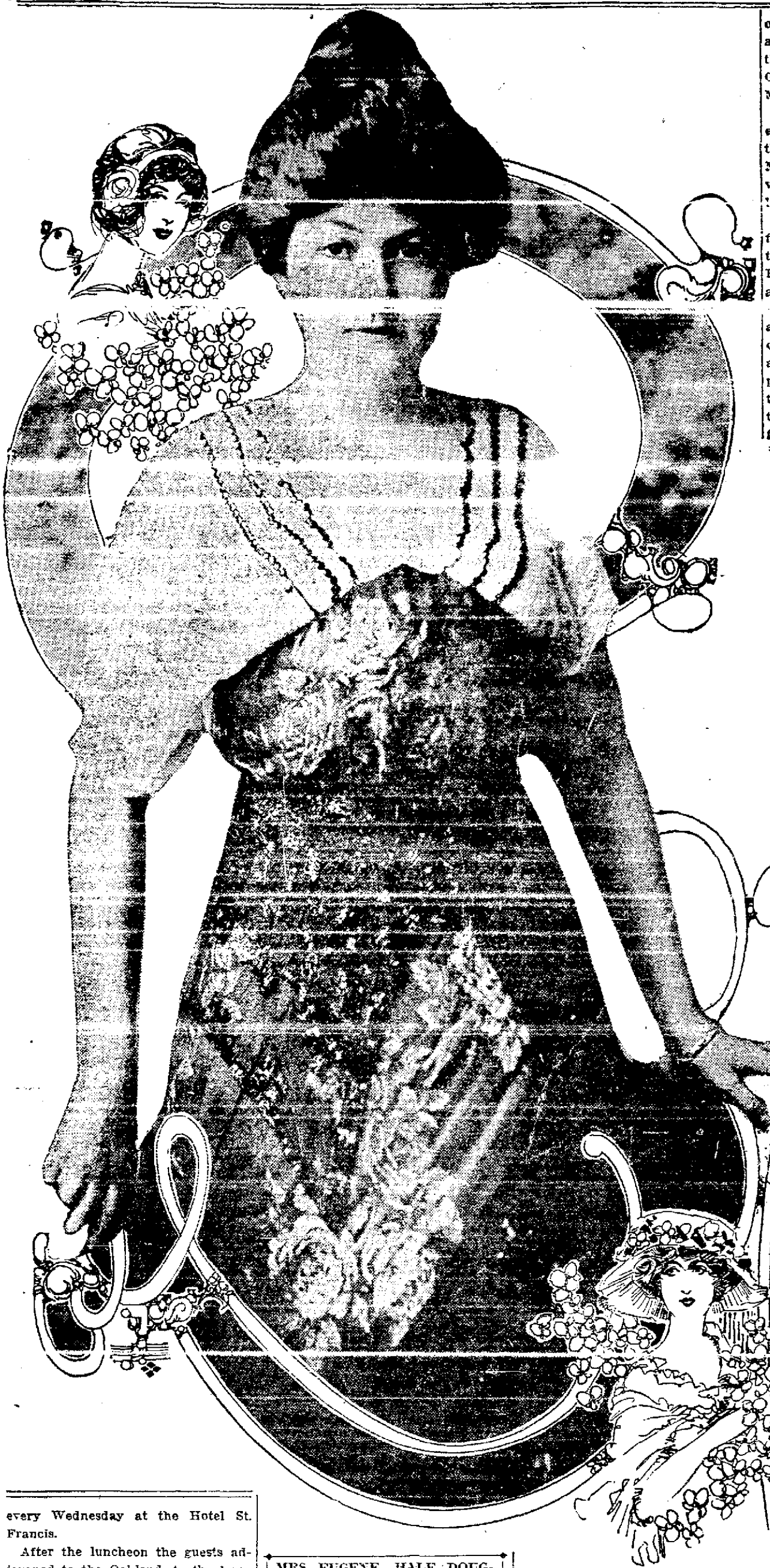
mond, the well-known and very pop-

and Miss Virginia Deal.

Mrs. Richmond, who has a most charming personality and who is a very cultured woman, is also president of the Republican Club of California, and she with dignity over large



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of Claremont also motored to Tahoe and Mrs. William Mills is there for the summer, with her daughter, Mrs. George Crothers, formerly Elizabeth Mills.

Other recent arrivals at the lake are Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Coogan and their attractive daughters, the Misses Marjory and Helen Coogan, who are very attractive girls and very popular wherever they go.

Even on the shores of Tahoe one finds the afternoon tea a social function dear to the hearts of women. For the American now enjoys his afternoon tea quite as much as does

life that interests the young people and to them one of the most attractive of recent events was "the barge party and shore supper" given last week.

There was a large covered barge with a band on board for dancing and the barge was towed to a sheltered beach and here every preparation was made for an out-of-door feast. There was a big camp fire and a delicious supper was served to the hungry young people. Afterward there was dancing on the barge and in the moonlight it was towed later across the lake. The Mhoons, Adams, Requas and Coogans were among the

joyed a motor trip to the McCloud river.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rodolph, with the Misses Marian and Helen Rodolph, left this week for the Sierras and are planning to spend some time at Crag View, near Mount Shasta.

It is said that in summer if one goes to Denver he is immediately taken on a camping expedition to the Rockies. If one goes to San Francisco he is taken to the Sierras or to Monterey. And if one goes to New York, straightway he must travel to the Adirondacks. Life in the latter is on much more elaborate lines than

a brilliant affair of the early summer. She was Miss Pearl Cawston, the daughter of Mrs. Tyler Henshaw. Mrs. Fillmore's wedding gown was one of the most beautiful ever worn by an Oakland bride. It was of princess lace, embroidered in a tracery of seed pearls over flesh-colored satin. Mr. and Mrs. Fillmore are guests at the Henshaw home until the completion of their new residence in Crocker Terrace.

Miss Pauline Painter is one of the popular girls of the younger set. She is the sister of Mrs. Philip Bliss and with her entertains a great deal at

adopted the custom. Among the teas of the summer was the interesting affair that Mrs. Duane L. Bliss planned for her friends, receiving them in her picturesque cottage on the shore of the lake. Mrs. Bliss was formerly Miss Florence Dunham, who

Mr. John Charles Adams joined the list of summer guests at Tahoe last week. Her daughter, Vere de Vere Adams, has been at the lake with her cousins, the children of the Edson Adams. Miss Vere de Vere Adams is a very attractive young girl

in California one finds "the land of little rain." In the Adirondacks one must prepare for rainy days, so even on the big verandas one finds open fireplaces.

Miss Anne Morgan spends part of the time each summer at her camp

Mrs. Eugene Hale Douglas, wife of Paymaster Douglas, U. S. N., was formerly Miss Gertrude Russell of Oakland. Since her marriage she has been stationed in Manila and on the Atlantic coast until last spring, when orders brought Paymaster Douglas to Yerba Buena. Mrs. Douglas is handsome and attractive and is a charming hostess at many delightful affairs on the island. She will give a tea for Miss Barbara Bromwell this month.

Miss Alice Richards was one of the pretty group of bridesmaids at the recent wedding of Miss Eulalia Ferrell and William Ball of Los Angeles, in Berkeley. She is one of the popular girls of Oakland society.

## COMPLIMENTARY AFFAIRS KEEP SOCIETY ON GO.

Very little in a social way is going on in the heart of big cities in mid-summer days. And the monotony would grow wearisome but for the complimentary affairs in honor of the departure of friends and for the mid-summer weddings.

Many notable affairs have centered around Ambassador and Mrs. Marye, who left on Thursday for Washington and who are to sail in two weeks for St. Petersburg.

One of the most delightful of the affairs was the luncheon given by Mrs. Henry Scott at the St. Francis for Mrs. Marye. Among the beautiful gowns were those worn by Mrs. George Whittell, Mrs. Orgood Hooker, Mrs. John Drumm, Mrs. Walter Martin, the Misses O'Connor, and Mrs. William Hinckley Taylor of this city. Miss Lilly O'Connor is a very charming girl, and she is a great friend of Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs with whom she went to Europe last summer. She is also a friend of Mrs. Isaac Requa, who often entertains her in her home at Piedmont. Among the other hostesses of the week, entertaining in honor of Ambassador and Mrs. Marye have been Mrs. Eleanor Martin, Mrs. George Whittell, Mrs. Oxnard, and Mrs. John Brice.

The Maryes recently built a very beautiful home near Burlingame, and they were preparing to occupy it when the news came of Mr. Marye's appointment as ambassador to Russia. Mrs. Marye is very fond of California, and she announces that she will return here, when Mr. Marye's duties as ambassador will be over. The Court of St. Petersburg is very fascinating, exceedingly picturesque, and Mrs. Marye bids fair to have a most intensely interesting experience in this far off Russian land. And now the war clouds loom heavily over Europe, and matters will not be quite so smooth for the Maryes. It will not be play-time in the Court of St. Petersburg—great responsibilities rest heavily on the shoulders of the American ambassador.

Americans are promptly leaving St. Petersburg, and among those who are now in London are Mrs. McNear, senior, and Mr. and Mrs. John Power Hutchins (Elizabeth McNear). They are all with Mrs. McNear's niece, Mrs. Thomas Rickard, formerly Abba Church.

They were joined in England this week by Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bowles, whose plans for traveling abroad have been changed by the war clouds that have begun to darken so ominously in the European sky.

## RETURN FROM ABROAD.

Among those who are returning home, and who will arrive here in the near future are Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Alexander and Mrs. C. C. Clay. The Alexanders have had a delightful summer abroad, and have been much interested in many phases of English life. They will have much to tell

movement in England, of the big tennis games there, and of the war news.

Mrs. Clay did not intend to return to California until December, but she

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every Wednesday at the Hotel St. Francis.

After the luncheon the guests adjourned to the Oakland, to the large meeting there, and late in the afternoon they all again assembled at Mrs. Mein's, where the hostess presided at a most interesting tea. It was delightfully served, and a club was formed, called the "Helen K. Williams Club." Mrs. Thomas Mein is the honorary chairman of the club, and Mrs. Frederick Campbell the acting chairman.

## HERE ARE NEW DANCES FOR YOUR AMUSEMENT.

The new diversions of the summer are of unusual interest, and the far west promptly copies those of the east when they are suitable and available. One finds in the east this year dancing contests, the basis for them being the tango, tango waitz, and the hesitation. The Keno dance is arousing a good deal of interest. One hundred numbered discs are marked on the game floor, and when the music ceases each couple is required to step in a ring. The number winning the prize is determined by the turning of a wheel.

One finds also "ocean polo" as the popular sport on the beach at Atlantic City. The girls have shown themselves to be adepts at the game, and there have been exciting contests. The games are played near the piers, with boats anchored forty feet apart as goals. The breakers add to the game, for an extra strong wave sometimes washes players high and

And from Bar Harbor comes the word that invitations are out for a costume party, to be known as "Au Fond de la Mer"—"at the bottom of the sea."

course many of the girls are—they can be "Circe," or

MRS. EUGENE HALE DOUGLAS, A HANDSOME YOUNG NAVY MATRON, WHO WAS MISS GERTRUDE RUSSELL OF OAKLAND.

—Habenicht Photo.

course, and "Undine"—and a mermaid is always interesting, especially if one has "wavy tresses" and if green is becoming to one's complexion. But one is rather sorry for the poor men. To be sure, there is the historical Neptune, with his wonderful trident, but who would want to be a whale, or a jellyfish, or an eel? The hostess will, of course, at a sea costume ball receive her guests in a wonderful grotto, which might be very picturesque, and the menu would, of course, be suggestive of "the finny tribe."

## VACATION CHARM IN "ONE OWN" LAND.

Santa Barbara, Lake Tahoe, Del Monte and Coronado represent to the Pacific coast the Newport, the Bar Harbor and the Narragansett Pier of the Atlantic seaboard. In a special manner Lake Tahoe, in the high Sierras, is developing a summer resort development very much what we find in an Eastern watering place.

There are some who think the natural charm of Tahoe is not very much improved thereby and social life is very seldom "the simple life." It is very certain that Lake Tahoe has been the center of much social gaiety this summer. Of course life

are fishing parties, picnics, when a merry crowd of people boards the "Wild Goose" and are taken to some cove in the beach. And horseback riding is delightful on lovely picturesque mountain trails that surround Tahoe.

In the evening there is dancing at the Tavern, and the Saturday night hops are interesting, for here one sees all the new steps, as the Lulu Fada—brought from Paris to Tahoe by Edward Greenway.

Mrs. Kohl brings here guests to the Tavern for these Saturday evening dances and most of them are very proficient in the Tango and the Maxixe. Mrs. Kohl has as her guests this summer two of the most graceful dancers of the Menlo set, the Misses Kathleen and Aileen Finnegan. They are very pretty girls and their early school days were passed here in Oakland, and many of their friends were among the young girls of the Lakeside social center.

Miss Kathleen Finnegan danced at many of the charitable affairs last winter at Burlingame with Count Montgelas, the best dancer among the men.

Mrs. Rudolph Spreckels and her sisters have also been at the dances, and among those whose graceful dancing has attracted much attention are Miss Emily Pope, Miss Marjorie Mhoon, Miss Elizabeth Adams, Miss Elmin McNear and Miss Amy Requa. Miss Adams, Miss McNear and Miss Requa are very young girls, since in school, but occasionally, as it is summer and the heart of vacation time, they are allowed to join the dancers. Other clever dancers at Tahoe are

Mrs. Alfred Suto, Miss Marjory Coogan and Miss Cleo Poyer.

A motor party reaching Tahoe recently was made up of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hill Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. John Gallois, the latter formerly Miss Eliza McMullin. The Charles Butters

comes from one of the pioneer families of Oakland. Duane Bliss belongs to the Bliss family, the successful lumber men of the Tahoe region. Mr. and Mrs. Bliss spend their summers at Tahoe and last winter they occupied the Frank L. Brown residence on Vernon Heights.

ire and among her callers of the afternoon were Mrs. Mark L. Requa, Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. Charles Bliss, Mrs. Alfred Suto, Mrs. H. M. Newmark, Mrs. Goodrich, Mrs. John B. Mhoon and Mrs. Wilfrid Chapman. But after all it is the real outdoor

who loves out of door life. She prefers to be called "Bobby," the familiar name for her.

In the Sierras also one finds many well-known people. In the Shasta region in the last few days have been Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kinney, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilhelm, Mr. and Mrs.

in the Adirondacks and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, beloved by many Californians, is spending the summer in her Adirondack camp. The Hon. and Mrs. John Ward are coming from England this summer to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kinney, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilhelm, Mr. and Mrs.

in her beautiful Long Island home.

## PICTURES IN THE MIDDLE.

Mrs. William Haydock Fillmore was one of the charming brides of the season, her wedding having been

MISS ALICE RICHARDS, WHO WAS A BRIDESMAID AT THE FERRELL-BALL WEDDING LAST WEEK.

—Habenicht Photo.



Heart TRIBUNE'S PAGE for Women Home

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

ged her itinerary, and she... directly to California, and... her home, Level Lea, and... Mrs. Clay will remain... year, during the exposition... and will entertain some time... her daughter, Mrs. Harden... and the latter's children.

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

late July days amidst... sible back to town, and at the... and hotels one meets again... one's friends. Among the... resting teas of the week... one which Miss Metta Mc... gave at the Francisca Club... sts of honor being Mrs. Wil... doph Hearn and Mrs. Mar...

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

...the latter is very young... pretty, and she wears such... clothes that they are of ex... treme to all who meet her... combinations of black and... great deal, and one of the... remarkable hats seen over here... dy knows which it resembles... flower pot or a calla lily.

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

William Hearst was most at... in a dark tailored suit made... of the capes so seldom seen... so much the rage in Paris... dark tailor suit Mrs. Hearst... white pique collar and cuffs... with white topped shoes, and... white sailor hat.

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

...of hats, the news is hailed... that the Merry Widow hat is... ain. There is something very... vague, very alluring, very fas... in the sound "Merry..." and the return of the hat... eted with enthusiasm. The... Widow hat is really here. It... cart wheel hat in black vel... almost no trimming to de... om its simple but becoming

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

fect wave of white pique col... cuffs has swept over the... of fashion, and one hears that... York on every side are to be... omen wearing dark blue suits... hite pique collars and cuffs... same thing is seen in Paris... e has now reached us, and so... men of fashion will all re... the Parisians resplendent in... gowns with their spick and... hite pique collars and cuffs.

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

the Wheeler-Head wedding... the bay there were some very... gowns. Mrs. Wheeler wore... crepe gown with an overdress... lace, and Mrs. C. P. Head was... ally gowned in gray. Mrs... and Mrs. Marsh, the bride's... ther were the members of... adding note from this side of...

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

...the bride's gown was unusu... vely, because of the faint ton... which relieved the monoton... white, which is often so tryin... ... was beautifully trimmed... the Irish Luckross lace, which... eedingly handsome. Among... y guests from this side of the... re General and Mrs. Oscar... Mrs. Thomas Veitch, Mrs... ick Mueller, and Mrs. Henry... Bull.

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

...hears that the decorations at... wedding were exceedingly... ul, and were dependent en... on the colorful pastels shades... lovely hydrangeas.

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

...ing the well-known people who... town are Mrs. Tyler Henshaw... sweet young daughter, Mrs... Fillmore. The latter is a... young bride, who is looking... ntly and pretty in lovely trou... gowns. Mrs. Henshaw looks... older sister, and she is very... come in attractive summer... She has a fine musical edu... and is one of the most cul... and most accomplished of the... own matrons on our side of...

THE MEDDLER.

(Cont. From Preceding Page.)

...and Mrs. Louis Titus are back... New York, where they spent... enjoyable weeks. Mrs. Titus is... most attractive New York... many of them in blue, a color... she is specially fond. Fred... Yosemite, and Mrs. Stolp is to

Chronic Laryngitis, Called Sore Throat

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THIS is by far the most... important form of laryn... geal disease, since it... springs from only slight... causes and is a common... and distressing malady.

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It always ends in injury to the... voice and too frequently in con... sumption.

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The symptoms are generally... mild in the beginning and there... fore misleading. A slight prickling... in one or the other side of the

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which provokes coughing, is... unimportant, but it necessitates... clearing the throat continually by... rasping to clear the windpipe.

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If ulcerations of the vocal cords... take place there is a total loss of... voice. In the majority of cases... only a feeling of obstruction is ex... periened, and the effort to clear this... away occupies a great part of every... conversation with a friend.

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The most intimate connection... exists between affections of the... throat and those of the larynx. The... reason is easily understood. Every... breath you draw passes directly... from the trachea into the larynx.

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Again these parts are in immedi... ate contact and the mucous se... creted in the throat becomes en... tangled about the epiglottis and... entrance into the larynx and is... drawn in by the inspiration, and... forced out by the next expiration.

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This is a state or condition which... is common in America today. A... slight hoarseness, for which many... people see no reason to cure, be... comes a chronic laryngitis and... often a fatal consumption, just for... lack of attention at the proper time.

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Remember neglect always re... sults in trouble upon the negl... gent. Attack the first enemy and you... have this battle practically won.



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weak and husky the health should...

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SOCIETY

There is an interesting uncertainty...

about the arrival of Miss Marjorie...

From the "tossing" of the "tossing"...

Miss Gladys Simmons, who is now...

in Paris, bought the things and boxes...

of gowns and lovely lingerie were...

to be sent to California, but the...

fact that many of the things have...

been postponed sailing, or have been...

withdrawn, has caused concern for the...

fact that the things will not be...

laid in coming. Miss Emmens' wedding...

to Albert Coogan is set for October...

and there is a possibility that she may be...

a bride without a tressouer.

LEAVE ITALY.

Miss Violet Whitney and her aunt, Mrs...

A. D. McCreery who have been spending...

time in Italy, will be among the Americans...

to leave Italy for the near future...

on the continent. They will probably go...

to England where Mrs. McCreery has a...

country place and where the Laurence...

McCreerys live. Mrs. George E. Whit...

ney is at present in England, waiting...

for her husband. She had planned to...

meet her daughter in New York in Sep...

tember.

DINNER IN MONTEREY.

Miss Evelyn McCreery was hostess at...

a dinner at the Hotel Monterey last...

evening when she entertained in...

honor of Mademoiselle Betty De Jong...

of the guest of Miss Isaac Perry...

Other guests included Mrs. Xabier...

Miss Lucy Pierce, Miss Percy Bruce Nel...

sen, Francis McComas and several others...

from the Monterey. After dinner...

the party enjoyed a "formal"

dance in Mrs. Xabier's studio.

RETURN FROM TEXAS.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Loran Pease have re...

turned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W...

H. Richardson Jr. at their beautiful ne...

home in Austin, Texas. They have been...

Richardson's intention to accompany them...

to California, but her plans were changed...

and she will not arrive until late in the...

evening. Mrs. Richardson who is a sister of...

Mrs. Pease, was Miss Bessie Gage, a...

beloved of Oakland society before her mar...

riage, and there will be much entertain...

ment in her honor during her visit to Mrs...

Pease.

MISS HALL A HOSTESS.

Miss Jessie Hall was hostess at a lun...

cheon at the Hotel Oakland a few days...

ago, the guest of honor being Mrs. Earl...

Porter, who until last evening was Mrs...

Ruth Holt of Alameda. Among the...

guests were Miss Hazel Holt and Miss...

Edith Plummer who were attendants at...

the wedding at the last residence in...

Albion street last evening.

TO VISIT SHASTA.

Mrs. Nicholas Acker and Miss Helen...

Acker have returned from visits to Car...

mel and Brookdale, and will leave next...

week for Shasta Springs, accompanied by...

Mrs. Harrison Clay. They will be absent...

three weeks.

GIVES STAG DINNER.

Mrs. Frederick Denike is still at Car...

mel. She will be at the Hotel Oakland...

the 1st of August. Mrs. Denike has motored...

down for the week-ends. Last evening he...

entertained at a jolly stag dinner at their...

attractive home in North Berkeley where a...

dozen guests enjoyed his hospitality.

BENEDICTS' DANCE.

The Benedicts' Club will give a jolly...

dance at the Twentieth Century Club in...

Berkeley this evening. Those who be...

long to the club are the number of promi...

nent members of the married set in Berke...

ley and the dances given on the first Se...

ACCUSES HER DAUGHTER WIFE GOES TO PRISON

Los Angeles Woman Pursued by Mother and Husband; Infidelity Charged

AN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—

Confronted in front of the...

Palace Hotel on Market...

street yesterday afternoon...

by her mother and her...

band, who sought to in...

duce her to return home...

with them. Mrs. Mary...

Woodruff of Los Angeles was arrested on...

a charge of infidelity immediately after...

she had refused to return. Mrs. Mary...

Russell, the mother, was the complainant...

who said she was nothing more than a...

whore, and she was placed in the city prison.

Following the arrest was a conference...

between husband, mother and daughter...

after which Woodruff left, presumably to...

raise the necessary \$200 bail. The police...

said Woodruff would be arrested on a...

bastardy charge as soon as she was...

found.

SAYS LACK OF AFFECTION...

IMPAIRED HIS HEALTH.

STOCKTON, Aug. 1.—On the ground...

that his health has been greatly impaired...

as a result of his wife's lack of affection...

C. Bertolas, for many years a resident...

of this city, has filed a divorce action.

In addition to the claim that he was...

emotionally locked out of the house and...

thereby confined in the city, Bertolas...

charges that his spouse has an affinity...

On one occasion, he declares, he returned...

home to discover the affinity crouching...

in the yard, and proceeded to thrash him.

Later, he affirms, Mrs. Bertolas ran...

from the house and assisted the vanquished...

affinity to his feet. The couple were...

married on March 20, 1899, and have four...

children.

TO R ALLEGED HUSBAND...

ARE SEEKING ONE WIFE.

PORTLAND, Aug. 1.—Four alleged hus...

bands of Lillie M. Martin, a buxom widow...

of about 28 years, have besought the po...

lice to find her. Each says she has swi...

gorned her.

McClure, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. McCul...

lough, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCreery, Mr...







## You Can't Blame the Umps for Losing Their Head. They Had No Clothes Pins Over Their Noses.

# Billy Fitz Says. Says he:

Never in the memory of the oldest inhabitant has the Coast League produced such a "game" as was perpetrated at Ewing Field yesterday by the Oakland

about it was the weather. The players were of color, the umpires were worse, the play was so bad that didn't seem possible on a ball field, and the officers who were challenged every member of the two clubs to mortal combat. In point of excitement and interest, the contest would have won all movie at an international chess show. Here are a few of the things that happened:

Elmer, grand oratorical speaker, ran off to the left with two men on his heels. The ball went two inches to the left of the foul line and landed straight up in the air. It was the longest hit ever registered at the new field. Zacher then said, "Double back."

Deane doubled in the first inning, the pitcher threw directly on the foul line back of first base.

In the fifth inning, with Middleton on first and Zacher hit to second, was trying to score. Rodgers dropped the ball, allowing Middleton to reach that bag without recovering in time to throw the ball. Middleton was safe. The crowd was disgusted with an error? He was so charged.

Szas was given credit for a home run on a single which got away from Quinn. Tommy trotted after the ball nonchalantly and pursued the same tactics as Kores' and Higdon's triples.

After the eighth inning Quinlan and Higgins squared off in the center of the diamond and Tommy came in to punch the Portland pitcher's head. Players, managers and umpires rushed between the belligerents.

In the sixth inning, with O Kland lead and the Tenthers filled 'n' the bases with one out, when they pitched the ball straight at Pruitt, who tossed to Alexander for the purpose of putting the runner over the plate, he did it in time to get the runner and the crowd cheered as both looked like a double play, sending the inning. Finney ruled that the runner had been put out and the pitcher though it looked as though the runner had not swung right on the ball, but the umpire's verdict didn't become known to us until O Kland had already scored from third 'n' Deane had crashed in from second. Pruitt finally stepped forward and disarmed the runner in the act of strolling to first. Then ensued a merry chase between Pruitt and Kores which ended when Kores took flight and hid behind the fence. They hit him on the head with the ball. The offending sphere was temporarily taken down by the fans and returned to the shorted down on the grass again in disgust when Finney refused to reverse his ruling. Kores further added to the confusion by running around the bases with the ball lying out on the diamond. Then followed more hits and runs with the crowd shouting wrong and signals that no one got.

In the same fifth inning, with Bancroft at the plate and Higgins already on first, Christian walked out on the diamond and spit the brook to Pruitt. The

At Los Angeles—San Francisco 8, L. Angeles 6.  
At Sacramento—(First game) Venice 9, Sacramento 4. (Second game) Venice 9, Sacramento 8.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portland	69	50	.578
Venice	65	55	.541
Los Angeles	53	57	.481
San Francisco	57	57	.500
Sacramento	37	62	.375
Oakland	35	67	.343

HOW THE SERIES STANDS.

Portland 4, Oakland 1.  
Venice 4, Los Angeles 3.  
Sacramento 2, Venice 3.

GAMES TODAY.

At San Francisco—Portland vs. Oakland.  
At Los Angeles—San Francisco vs. Venice.  
At Sacramento—Venice vs. Sacramento.

Hastened for the nearest exit. I was too weak to stand any longer.

In the sixth inning, Bancroft tried to steal third found himself falling. Byrne caught the runner safe, and once again the crowd shrieked to high heaven.

Better get credit for the victory who all he did was to go in as a relief pitcher and get batted out in a relatively possible time.

"Gussie" Smith, a Walla Walla recruit, played short for Oakland and was hard, but doesn't look as though he will set the world on fire.

The expansion of the Pacific Coast league seems inevitable. In time growth of the game will demand a larger league, and it is probable that the league will have to add several major league ball within the next few years. The draft rule has long been one sore spot with the league, and it is probable that some day the minor league stars will survive more than a couple of years.

The latest suggestion as to the plan along which the league would be reorganized, is that Seattle be added to the circuit, and another club be installed in Portland. This would make the Oakland regular home of the city which now bears this city's name. J. H. Berry is the father of the idea, and while it is not yet ripe for adoption there are some strong arguments in favor of the plan.

The main objections in the way of carrying out the expansion of the league would be questions of whether the extra team would be supported, and whether Seattle could be added to the circuit. But if it would undoubtedly support the club, and Oakland has proven that it can keep a good ball town with a winning team, the league and its members should have their regular allotment of games, just the same as Sacramento and Portland, and during the present season.

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diamond and the quite apparent sinking of the pitcher should have been sufficient excuse for the umpire suspending Play. Thinking that time had been well called, Priest tossed the ball up in the air, converting the general displeasure of the players into a great deal of time and Mr. Fisher decided that he had won the play. More debate.

In the seventh inning, the Beavers were down six runs, largely because the Oaks declined to exert themselves and the first man to face him got a home run. The first man to face him got a home run.

In the seventh Middleton hit to Bancroft and beat it for first. The ball hit the shortstop in the stomach and when he fell and recovered and checked to first, Middleton was there ready to hit. The umpire Jimmy Byrne decided the ball had beaten the runner, whereupon even Bancroft collapsed and the crowd and the first man to face him got a home run.

Manager of the Oakland Club, Leavitt, and the manager of the Oakland club, arose and

The Thursday games that have been put off to see the Tuesday Wednesday and Friday games in San Francisco. Two teams going in San Francisco, two teams of the league could not figure on such an interesting week-end stay there, as they have done in the past. There would frequently be two Co-league games in reach of the bay cities, and the same day, and the crowd would be divided. San Francisco is practically getting continuous baseball under the present conditions, and the fans should be put to riding farther from the Ferry building to Ewing field. The better weather conditions this season should be taken into account of the trans-bay fans attend Oakland games in preference to those on Ewing field.

During the present slump in professional baseball, it is doubtful if anything toward expansion will be done, but the magnates are solid in the belief that the fans should be brought back to have the working of the draft rule this league discontinued.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
**RESULTS YESTERDAY.**  
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 8, Chicago 1.  
At New York—Cincinnati 4, New York 3.  
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 9, Pittsburgh 3.  
At Boston—Boston 2, St. Louis 0.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	52	35	.595
Cincinnati	52	41	.559
St. Louis	51	44	.534
Boston	48	41	.540
Cincinnati	47	49	.489
Philadelphia	41	49	.456
Pittsburg	37	47	.439
Brooklyn	38	43	.442

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
**RESULTS YESTERDAY.**  
At Chicago—Boston 5, Chicago 1.  
At Detroit—Washington 3, Detroit 1.  
At Cleveland—New York 5, Cleveland 2.  
At St. Louis—Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 7, ten innings.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	50	33	.641
Boston	53	42	.558
Washington	47	34	.579
Cleveland	48	47	.505
Chicago	47	47	.500
St. Louis	41	47	.463

**FEDERAL LEAGUE.**  
**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cincinnati	55	41	.573
Indianapolis	50	42	.548
Brooklyn	48	49	.490
Baltimore	47	42	.524
Buffalo	44	45	.494
Kansas City	42	52	.447
St. Louis	42	55	.434
Pittsburg	39	49	.441
St. Paul	39	50	.438
St. Louis	30	60	.333
Buffalo	0	20	0.000
Batteries—Kupper, Herbert and mon; Schultz, Moore and Blaire.			
Chicago	5	0	.000
Pittsburg	0	0	.000
Batteries—Wason and Wilson; Barr and Barry, Leclair.			
Indianapolis	0	0	.000
Brooklyn	0	0	.000
Batteries—Falkenberg and Warren; Pitt, Houder and Owens.			
Kansas City	0	1	.000
Baltimore	2	0	.000
Batteries—Johnson, Harris and Egan; Brown, Quinn, Wilhelm and Egan.			
St. Louis	0	0	.000

**NORTHWEST LEAGUE.**

At Detroit—Washington 5. Detroit 1.	Indianapolis . . . 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 1—4 14
At Cleveland—New York 6. Cle. 1 and 2.	Brooklyn . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2
At St. Louis—Philadelphia 3. St. Louis 7; ten innings.	Batteries—Falkenberg and Warren; Little, Houck and Owens.
	At Baltimore . . . . . 0 0 0 0—0 0

Cleveland	.....	31	65	325
<b>SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.</b>				
A t Montgomery—Memphis 10, Mont-				
gomery 1.				
A t Mobile—Nashville 6, Mobile 4,				
A t New Orleans—New Orleans 4, Chat-				
tanooga 2.				
A t Atlanta—Atlanta 3, Birmingham 0.				
<b>NORTHWESTERN ASSOCIATION.</b>				
Vancouver	.....	67	41	1
Seattle	.....	66	46	1
Spokane	.....	55	44	1
Tacoma	.....	50	47	1
Bellair	.....	44	68	1
Victoria	.....	41	68	1
<b>RUSTICUS TEST DAY.</b>				
Seattle & Vancouver 4.				
Tacoma 5, Bellair 4.				
Spokane 4, Victoria 1.				
<b>PACIFIC COAST ASSOCIATION.</b>				
A t Milwaukee—Milwaukee 8, Colum-				
bust 1.				
A t Kansas City—Cleveland 6, Kan-				
sas City 1.				
A t St. Paul—Indianapolis 6, St. Paul				
a t Minneapolis—Minneapolis 5, Lou-				
vile 2.				
<b>UNION ASSOCIATION.</b>				
A t Oorden—Oorden 3, Helena 2.				
A t Salt Lake—Salt Lake 7, Butte 3.				

Spokane 4, Victoria 1.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 3, Columbus 7  
At Kansas City—Cleveland 6, Kansas City 7  
At St. Paul—Indianapolis 6, St. Paul 2  
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis 5, Louisville 2

**UNION ASSOCIATION.**  
At Ogden—Ogden 3, Helena 2  
At Salt Lake—Salt Lake 7, Butte 3

**BASEBALL**  
Oakland Park, Park and San Pablo Avenues

**COAST LEAGUE GAMES**  
THURSDAY 9:15 P. M. & SUNDAYS 10:15 A. M.

Adults—25c Bleachers: 5c Grand Stand, 10c  
Children—10c Bleachers: 2c Grand Stand, 5c

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# ALAMEDA

# COMMEND EDICT AGAINST FRATS

## Principal of Alameda High School Praised for Stand Against Organizations.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 1.—Many messages of commendation have been received by Dr. George C. Thompson, principal of the Alameda high school, as the result of his announcement that he will not allow secret societies in any guise or form to exist in the local institution. Dr. Thompson has received calls from all sections of the city, as has Superintendent of Schools C. J. Du Four, supporting the determination that the high school shall be on a democratic basis and that the exclusive secret society shall not be allowed.

## STUDENTS ROBBED

**umerous Burglaries Reported to Police by Those Attending Session.**

They have lost a considerable portion of their property. The most recent robbery was committed last night at the fourth apartments.

Miss A. V. Englesen of Monterey, Cal., lost valuables to the extent of \$200.

A burglar gained admission to the apartment house through a front door, which had been left unlocked, and ransacked the place from top to bottom.

Several other students were robbed.

stolen there amounted to more than \$100. A similar sum was stolen several months ago from 2231 Dana street, one of the victims being Miss Lillian Geerson, a student of the summer session. The apartments and other apartment houses are the scene of similar burglaries during the summer session of the summer school.

According to the police, a man who

ommitted these robberies answers the description of H. Morrison, who is known to the police of several California cities among the aliases which he is said to have used are H. Monson, Alvin Karpis, Arthur Gardner and Martin Luther. He is described as being 30 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches in height, weighing 135 pounds. He is of

**COLUMBUS DAY PROGRAM  
OUTLINED AT MEET**

The program for the Columbus Day celebrations in Oakland

outlined at a meeting last night at the Chamber of Commerce. A special committee headed by Leo J. Carthy has had charge of the drawing up of the program of events during the three days' celebration.

October 10 to 12. H. C. Cal  
was appointed chairman of the  
General Columbus day celebration  
committee. L. G. Bonzagni is secre  
Prominent Oaklanders are serving  
the different sub-committees as

Finance committee, Wilbur V. ...  
er and M. J. Laymance; pub-  
committee, A. A. Denison, A. C.  
un and J. Sherman McDowell;  
gram committee, M. Pozzi; rece-  
committee, Daniel Crowle,  
Margaret L. Klunk, Mrs. Peter  
nion and Mrs. H. F. Carey and  
Martino, regatta committee, F.

The celebration will include aquatic sports on Lake Merritt, fireworks display, day and night parades, a pageant depicting Columbus and

**VALUABLE DOGS VICTIMS OF ROCK RIDGE POISON**

Three valuable dogs have fallen victim to the wholesale operations of a well-known dog poisoner who has spread a net of poisoned food throughout the fashionable Vernon Rock Ridge district, and

police are now investigating the pe  
affair. Mrs. P. C. Huey, 5491  
avenue, Mrs. H. H. Hicks, a ne  
and Mrs. Mary M. Lambert, 5161  
avenue, are the victims o  
part of the mysterious poisoner  
According to Mrs. Lambert an unknow  
was seen to throw a piece of mail

her yard, which on investigation found to have been treated with a  
mine. She also declared that she  
heard rumors that a certain woman  
the neighborhood had threatened  
poison her dog if it did not stop barking.  
The police are investigating a

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### EUROPEAN NATIONS WORKING FOR PEACE.

There may be a settlement of conditions in Europe despite all this war talk, mobilization and preparations for belligerent action. It appears that England and France, while they are taking no chances on possible contingencies that may arise, are both urging conciliatory measures to the end that the countries of the old world may not be drenched in blood. Because of efforts on the part of Great Britain and France to find a solution that will be compatible with the dignity of both Russia and Austria, Premier Asquith postponed his statement to parliament yesterday pending developments.

The international bureau of peace is striving hard to avert a conflict. Appeals have been made to Pope Pius, President Wilson, President Poincaré of France, Emperor William and the Czar. Other forces are at work with the same end in view. But it appears as if the Kaiser would rather fight. He is quoted as having said the sword has been forced into the hands of Germany, and that while war would demand an enormous sacrifice of property and life, the enemies of Germany should be shown what it means to provoke her. Yet there is a note of peace withal, for the Kaiser is also quoted as having declared: "I hope that if my efforts at the last hour do not succeed in bringing our opponents to see eye to eye with us in maintaining peace, we shall, with God's help, so wield the sword that we shall restore it to its sheath again with honor."

The few indications of settlement, that being an interchange of telegrams between the Czar, the Kaiser and King George, which was followed by an extraordinary council of ministers at Peterhof, and the further fact that Russia and Austria are engaged in direct negotiations.

The next twenty-four hours will be momentous in Europe. It is almost certain that peace or war will result on the acts of the nations involved during that time. If peace results the entire world will be relieved, for it is war, it will be a struggle such as earth has never before witnessed. For the sake of the men who will in such an event be called upon to die, and for the women and little ones who will be called upon to mourn and suffer, it is hoped that it will be peace.

Nat Goodwin has been sued for a \$112 chicken bill. It appears very difficult to break Nat's of his old habits.

Farmers near Grass Valley report deer invading their alfalfa fields in such numbers they will have to violate the game laws in order to protect their property. It is stated that herds of deer are ravaging the patches and that at least five travel together, the result being that half an acre a night is damaged. It is fair to presume the farmers will shoot the deer, but they must not sell the meat—that is against the law.

Evidence at the Caillaux trial developed that M. Caillaux's first wife had two husbands, his second wife two, and that he had two wives. Tandem polygamy, so to speak.

### FROM THIS SITUATION GOOD LORD DELIVER US!

Unless some agreement is reached between this date and Friday next, 55,000 engineers and firemen on approximately ninety-eight railroads west of Chicago will go on strike. That traffic will be tied up there is no question, all the great trans-continental lines being involved, including the Canadian Pacific west of Fort Williams.

The heads of the Brotherhoods of Engineers and Firemen have passed the matter to the managers of the various lines and it is now up to them to take action. President Wilson, realizing the fearful consequences, has asked the committee to confer with him today. There the matter rests.

It would be a calamity for the nation if this strike should take place. The roads affected are those penetrating the source of food supply. From the territory traversed by the lines alluded to comes all the pork, all the beef, all the corn and all the wheat, not to mention the other products in which our own State of California is interested. Never before in the history of the United States has there been such great crops as are promised this year. Stock exchanges and boards of trade, interested only in speculation, have vainly tried to circulate reports of Hessian fly and army worm, this parasite and that in order to effect rise in price, but with no avail, until this time when Europe is ablaze with rumors of impending war, and now everything is chaotic. That war is certain can no longer be doubted unless miracles happen. While we regret that the United States will make money because armies oppose armies and the plains and hills and the valleys of the old world are running red with the blood of their sons, if it has to be it will be, and this nation, the food supply of the earth, will profit by it. To decline to take advantage of conditions would be nearly criminal. Hence with the markets of the nation as engaged yawning for everything the great West can produce; with millions reaching their hands toward America for substance, to have a calamity such as this great strike will be, occur is a matter of such moment as to interest even the smallest producer.

While the countries involved in the struggle across the Atlantic will suffer from the loss of men and the destruction of property, this strike, if carried into effect, will produce its corresponding degree of misery to those who toil that the earth may yield. The mighty billion bushel wheat crop will be held in the granaries of those who have produced it, the corn will lie idle in the cribs. Small wonder that the executive seeks to avoid trouble and more power to him in his efforts to avert it.

Huerta has sailed for Spain in a vessel he chartered himself. It isn't every ex-president that can take all the staterooms on a steamer.

Governor Bleese of South Carolina says he believes in predestination. His presence here is at last accounted for.

Mme. Caillaux's acquittal was expected, but really none of us anticipated that the members of the bar would indulge in a free fight following the verdict.

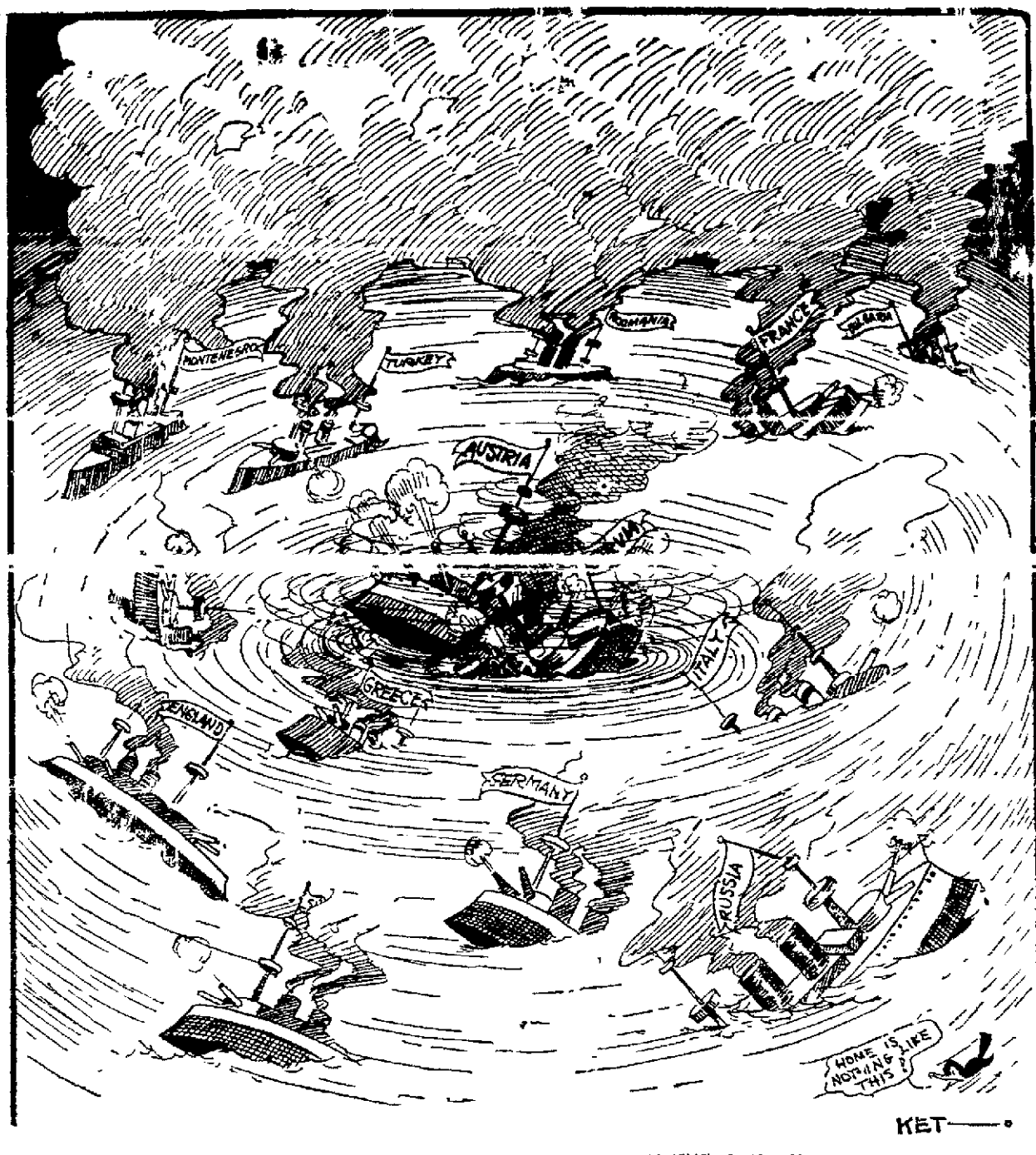
### ANOTHER INDUSTRY FOR GOLDEN STATE.

Insufusorial earth is being mined more actively in California and Nevada, which produced nearly 90 per cent of the 6528 tons output last year in the United States. The value averaged \$10.50 per ton.

Heretofore diatomaceous or insufusorial earth has been largely used as an abrasive in the form of polishing powders and scouring soaps, but the United States Geological Survey finds that of late its uses have been considerably extended. Because of its porous nature it has been used in the manufacture of dynamite as a holder of nitroglycerine, but so far as known not in the United States. Its porousness also renders it a non-conductor of heat, and this quality in connection with its lightness has extended its use as an insulating packing material for safes, steam pipes and boilers, and as a fire-proof building material. In this country a new use of the material is reported in the manufacture of records for talking machines. For this purpose it is boiled with shellac, and the resulting product has the necessary hardness to give good result.

In Europe, especially in Germany, insufusorial earth has lately found extended application. It has been used in preparing artificial manures, especially in the absorption of liquid manures; in the manufacture of ultramarine and various pigments, of aniline and alizarine colors, of paper, sealing wax, fireworks, gutta percha and many other articles. There is a large and steadily increasing demand for it.

### THE VORTEX



### SPLENDID OPPORTUNITIES FOR VOTERS OF SANTA CRUZ.

Benjamin K. Knight, for many years district attorney of Santa Cruz County, is candidate for Superior Judge. The prospects are that he will be elected, and he should be. Mr. Knight is a lawyer, learned and efficient. During his career as a public official he has made a record for efficiency second to no man occupying a similar position in the State of California. He has judicial mind, has Ben Knight, and his course of conduct has been such as to commend him to his constituency. He has always remembered that his duty to California was combined with his duty also to protect the accused and has never prosecuted man or woman because he believed them guilty, but for the purpose of ascertaining whether they were or not.

When in doubt as to the righteousness of decisions he has fought them to the court of last resort and the records will show that he has won a large majority of the contested cases.

The district attorney is also the attorney for the county in civil cases. Ben Knight has stood by Santa Cruz County during his term of office when hundreds of thousands of dollars were involved and has been uniformly successful in winning cases. At times he has been under the necessity of taking appeals, but whenever he has, the district court of appeal has sustained his contentions, not a novelty in Santa Cruz County, by the way.

Mr. Knight has been a resident of Santa Cruz for many, many years. He is known from one end of his district to the other as a man who never hesitates to respond to every call. He adds to his knowledge of the law a geniality and affability that makes him popular with all classes. He is a man whom prejudice cannot sway nor money influence; he cares not whether the parties litigant are resident or non resident, seeks no personal advantage through his official acts, promises no 'dinner' to his constituents and if elected will be one of the best judges of the Superior Court in the commonwealth. The voters of Santa Cruz County have a splendid opportunity in electing Ben Knight Superior Judge.

It is all right for the fair ones to accuse the sterner sex of spending \$350,000,000 a year for cigars and other forms of tobacco, but how about that \$437,000,000 that goes for soda water and chewing gum?

If you have not signed that anti-annexation petition yet, get your name down. No one in Alameda County wants to be part of the tail to San Francisco's kite.

Dr. Elsie F. Trapp of the University of Michigan is said to have discovered an anti-nicotine serum, which, injected into the cuticle of the smoker, removes all desire for cigar, cigarette or pipe. There is always something arising to plague a fellow, isn't there?

Members of both houses of Congress, Republicans and Democrats alike, are said to be anxious to adjourn, so they can go home and "take a rest." It is suspected that political fence repairing also has its influence.

It is noted by the advertisements for hop pickers in the Wheatland fields this year that applicants must be known by the owners of the fields or bring letters of recommendation from business men. This measure of precaution has been taken in order to shut out the agitators. Ample police protection is guaranteed.

King Peter of Serbia resigned, but not in time to prevent Austria getting his goat.

### REGULATIONS CAUSE LOSS TO FRUITMEN.

Prominent fruit growers of Tulare County declare that twenty-five per cent of the peach crop will be lost this year, due to government regulations with respect to the use of sulphur in drying. Recently the rules laid down for the preservation of fruit has greatly minimized the use of sulphur and many ranchers, not being able to handle their crops, especially that portion which ripens last, are not concerning themselves about picking it. The two canneries in that section are not prepared to handle the immense output and it has been suggested that perhaps another concern would relieve the situation.

If such action can be taken it is highly advisable that those interested in the growth of peaches should interest themselves, for the demand for the canned product is increasing year by year and is bound to continue to increase with the growth of population eastward and the consequent accelerated necessities for more provisions in many of the peach growing districts of the eastern states surplus crops are utilized in making high wines, or brandies. This state produces a good grade of apricot brandy and there is no reason why peaches should not be similarly utilized, such action being far better than allowing such a large proportion of the yield to go to waste.

### HABITS OF INDIANS

The early experiences of the white practitioner among reservation Indians make a chapter of encounters with aboriginal prejudice not wholly finished. Even his own life was not safe if the doctor ventured too near the borderland of prejudice, and if a death occurred at the beginning of his practice he was likely to be avoided for the rest of his sojourn. Many an Indian came for the first dose and as the poison or heads of arrows—whether death or disease was the result of his visit the doctor might never know. Or an entire bottle of cough syrup would be consumed at once on the theory that would be better.

The constant hospitality practiced by Indians, and the custom of sharing the last crumb, is a phase of the food question difficult to be appreciated by whites. As long as an Indian has any substance his neighbors and friends come a-knocking to remain as long as the food holds out. To be inhospitable or "stung" like the white man is an opportunity which only the best Indian can socially survive. This Indian virtue lays the way to an equalization of any distribution of food and is the cause of many of those cases of "Indians Starving"—Southern Workman.

#### POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The average man desires a chronic hacker—unless she can sing a chorus.

An ecotist is a man who expects a woman to marry him for himself alone.

A girl who is kittenish during courtship.

#### FAME'S PATHWAY

Emperor William is going to learn the hesitator and the one-step, and Gen. Hodgkins of Louisville, Ky. is going to teach him. Mr. Hodgkins says so.

That is important, if true," said a New Albany.

How does it feel to dance with "cov-sity?"

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### Peculiar and Pertinent

Railway men in Germany may only belong to such societies as are approved by the management.

The Oklahoma state food employment bureau in six years has found work for 53,000 persons.

Ten winter for the first time in nineteen years ice in the Seine river, France, has interfered with the movements of shipping at Rouen and caused an interruption in the immense barge traffic to Paris.

The verdict of a jury in a criminal case in Arkansas has been set aside because the jury consumed nine quarts of whisky in reaching a conclusion.

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PRESIDENT STRIVES AGAINST DISASTROUS STRIKE ON RAILROADS

BANK ACCUSES HITS PASTOR'S UNION LABEL BROKER OF FORGERY DAUGHTER IN EYE MAY PROVE MURDER

O. H. S. HAS PRETTIEST GIRLS FAMOUS ARTIST SHOULD KNOW

MANAGERS AND UNION MEN CONFER

Defendant's Attorney Says He Followed Business Custom Only.

Alleged endorsement of a check made out to the Commonwealth Security Company of San Francisco, in which he had a commission claim, this morning caused the arrest of W. W. Latham, a broker, living at the Fairmont apartments, a warrant, charging fraudulent endorsement, being sworn to by the Central Bank. He was taken into custody and is now at the city prison, while his attorney, Henry F. Skinner, is arranging for bail.

Latham was acting as broker for the California Granite Company, which secured from the Commonwealth Company a bond to secure its work on the municipal auditorium. According to Latham's attorney, the company made out a check for \$55.25, the premium on this bond, presenting it to Latham, who negotiated the bonding. Latham, it is declared, was entitled to 25 per cent commission.

According to Skinner, it is a practice among brokers to cash such checks themselves, forwarding in turn their own checks to the bonding companies after deducting their own commissions. They are also, according to Latham, usually allowed thirty days' time in returning the money to the company.

CUSTOM, HE SAYS. In this case Latham is charged with having endorsed the check with the name of the bonding company as well as his own, the former constituting an infraction of the law. When the bonding company objected to the procedure the bank caused Latham's arrest.

Latham declares that the bank was aware at the time he cashed the check that he had no legal right to do so, but that it was generally known among brokers that the practice is contended. He also claims that he is entitled to thirty days' time to make return to the company, and has, on this assumption, loaned a portion of the money.

Skinner, Latham's attorney, declares that while legally the bank's act may be reprehensible, it is a practice in vogue among brokers. "If the man had any intention of defrauding anyone," declares Skinner, "the case would be different. But he is going for the money. The trouble is the he did not know that this company did not allow the usual thirty days."

According to the bank officials, the man had no legal right to endorse the check with the name of the company, and should have forwarded the check rather than take chances. The warrant was sworn on at this ground, the bank stating that it will not continue irregular practices.

Skinner was in consultation with Police Judge Mortimer Smith regarding the case and has also looked up Latham's record. He declared that the case will probably be adjusted without trouble by payment of the sum due the bonding firm.

RELEASED ON RECOGNIZANCE. A. D. Avery, arrested on complaint of St. Louis Aber and charged with defrauding an innkeeper, was released on his own recognizance this morning in the police court at the combined recommendations of Aber and Prosecuting Attorney W. J. Hennessey. He pleaded guilty to the charge, but declared that he would pay a bill he owed as soon as possible.

Mrs. Mona Whalin Alleges Extreme Cruelty in Divorce Action.

Mrs. Mona MacMurtry Whalin, pretty daughter of Rev. Alton MacMurtry, of 1504 Chestnut street, has decided that she would rather by plaintiff in a divorce action than defendant and today, she filed suit against George H. Whalin, a carpenter, whom she married in January, 1906.

One year to the day after the young couple separated, the husband filed suit alleging desertion on the part of his wife. The suit was filed June 23, but was dismissed by the plaintiff a few weeks later.

Now Mrs. Whalin, who is staying at the home of her mother with her two children, brings charges of cruelty against her husband. She says that while they were living at 3512 Hagemann street the defendant struck her in the eye and that he abused her frequently until she was forced to leave him. Last January, after they separated, the couple met at Thirteenth avenue and East Twenty-eighth street and quarreled.

Whalin is living with his mother at 1372 East Twenty-eighth street. At present Mrs. Whalin has taken up hair-dressing in order to support herself and small children. Rev. MacMurtry is now in the East.

Couldn't Shine, So She Attempts Suicide

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Because she could not shine as a conversationalist and despondent by reason of her inability to meet people on the footing she desired, Dora Berlin, 20 years old, attempted suicide at her home, 1728 Sutter street, this morning. She swallowed the contents of two small bottles of iodine, and with her throat parched and burning was sent to the city emergency hospital. Prompt work by the physicians saved her life. She is the daughter of Mrs. A. Berlin, who is well known in club circles here.

Fewer Arrests Are Made During July

Less than twenty-two arrests a day in a population of 200,000 is Oakland's record this month, when the police place it on the map as one of the cities most free from crime of any in the United States. During the entire month past, according to police figures, there were but 617 arrests, while the arrests for July, 1914, totaled 723. The police declare that since then the population has increased 25,000, and there were sixty-two less arrests. In other words, less than 1-1000 of the population violated any law. Most of the arrests were minor cases and Chinese lottery raid arrests.

BUTTERS SURRENDERS; IS ACCUSED BY AUTHOR

Henry A. Butters, millionaire, of 323 Bonita avenue today surrendered himself to Sheriff Frank Barnett on a charge of automobile speeding in Eldorado county, as reported by Stewart Edwards, White of Santa Barbara, the celebrated author. He appeared before Justice James G. Quinn and was released on \$200 bail.

Recently Butters was on his way to Lake Tahoe when he encountered White in another car. White complained to the authorities that Butters drove recklessly and occupied the greater portion of a dangerous road.

Tab Provides Clue to Identity of Body Found in River.

A union label in a suit of clothes, bearing an Oakland number, is the only clue to the identity of the body, which was found yesterday in the Merced River near El Portal, where it had evidently lain for several days, and which, it is believed by the valley authorities, is the corpse of a murdered man. A bullet wound, in the temple, leads to this supposition, there having been no powder marks about the wound. The coroner's jury sitting on the case has been unable to throw any light on the mystery and the Oakland police have been asked to make an effort to trace the suit.

The body was found, wedged between rocks in the river, by a section gang at work on a railroad spur near El Portal. The body had been in the water for several days and was badly decomposed. The clothes indicated that the man was well-to-do, the suit being of good material and well made. No papers or other means of identification were found, but the union label may lead to the discovery of the shop where the suit was made, and, in turn to the name of the customer.

BULLET IN BRAIN.

The workmen had been laying tracks on the cliff above the river, and one of them went down to fetch water. Finding the body he called the others and the corpse was pulled ashore. The body was that of a man about middle age, clean shaven. The coroner's office at Merced was hastily notified and the body removed to the morgue there, where an inquest was held. Nothing was brought to light by the coroner's inquest, "death from causes unknown." According to the Merced authorities the case was one of the most baffling ever to be brought to the attention of the valley authorities.

Police officers believe that the finding of the label will not clear the mystery, as hundreds of workmen use the label and several cities have similar numbers. The figures were partly obliterated, and it is probable that a mistake may have been made. They declare they have offered all aid to the authorities in tracing down the label if possible. In the meantime the lists of missing persons from this city are being minutely inspected to trace any missing men answering the description.

Clabby Knocks Out Smith in First Round

STONEY, N. S. W., Aug. 1.—Jimmy Clabby, the American middleweight, knocked out Dave Smith tonight in the first round. The fight, which was billed for twenty rounds, lasted just sixty seconds. By his victory Clabby becomes middleweight, light heavy and heavyweight champion of Australia. Smith outweighed him ten pounds.

POLICE SAY PRISONER IS STYLISH SAFE CRACKER

In the arrest of a man who gave his name as W. C. Fitzgerald, police officers last night, the authorities here believe that they have located one of the men who has been committing postoffice and country store safes in this country during the last six months.

The prisoner gave his address as a San Francisco hotel. He had in his person a gold watch and key bearing the initials of Senator Frank H. Benson, of San Francisco. The watch was missing from his safe. Fitzgerald also had jewelry valued at \$100, and \$50 worth of postage stamps. He was dressed in the height of fashion. The officers have not stated on what information they took Fitzgerald into custody.

Has Oakland High School the prettiest girls of any school in the state? Here a few of its prominent students: Left to right—Miss Virginia Blumel, Miss Gladys Gerrieh, Miss Allison Stone and Miss Dorothy Shane.



Has the Oakland High School, last year added another claim to fame in the decision of Francis Wilson, noted artist, that it has the prettiest girls of any high school in the state? Wilson drew and his drawings of pretty girls have long been admired by magazine readers. The illustrator, who visited the school when it opened yesterday, declares that of all the high schools that he's visited in search of models, Oakland ranks first. Oakland has the girls, says Wilson, and he's going to draw some of them.

In the meantime Berkeley high is preparing a claim. They don't want Oakland to surpass in pretty girls, even as they contest Oakland's athletic supremacy. "Beauty duels" between the schools, with the prettiest girls entered and a number of artists as a jury to decide. The plan hasn't been officially placed before the faculty yet—but the boys plan to, and they say they have no fear of the result, especially after what Wilson has said. Oakland high claimed first place last year for pretty girls when the "beauty association" started. They've more girls, now, with more curls, more new dresses and more beauty. The school is awaiting with interest plans of the contest.

STILL THEY COME.

The Oakland High School opened yesterday with the rest of Oakland's institutions of learning with the biggest attendance in history. According to the board of education the attendance figures in the schools are already above the usual, with many registrations still to come. The classes will be in full swing by tomorrow morning according to the teachers.

The student organizations will be in operation in the high school by next week, and it is probable that the boys will have their plans for the "beauty duel" between the schools ready by that time. Among the prominent girls in the school who will be asked by the boys to aid in their plans are Miss Virginia Blumel, Miss Gladys Gerrieh, Miss Allison Stone and Miss Dorothy Shane.

This year will see the largest number of changes ever placed in operation at one time in the Oakland schools. The new vocational school, where the old Manual Training High School was, at Twelfth and Market streets, the new University High School, the new Technical High School and other new adjuncts to the school department will be features of this year's school work.

NEW TEACHERS HAVE BEEN PLACED IN many schools. Professor H. Meyer is now in office as art director for the Oakland school system. The playgrounds in the schools this year will operate under the direction of the playground commission and other changes are also in contemplation.

In the meantime the teachers are forming organizations and committees to be ready for the National Educational Convention next year, when Superintendent A. C. Barker and the local teachers will be the hosts to thousands of educators. This year, according to the school board, will be the biggest in the history of the city and the crowds of students will mean new schools next year. Work will be rushed on the new Clawson school that it may be ready when the next year begins.

representative of the state department, who has been accompanying General Bryan, arrived here last night. Bryan had a long conference with Secretary Bryan. Neither Bryan nor Carothers would discuss the matter, but for several days reports of Villa's disinclination to submit to Carranza have been reaching officials here.

MANY PRIESTS BANTISHED.

LAREDO, Texas, Aug. 1.—Thirty-nine Catholic clergymen, including one American, together with about ten American refugees, all from San Luis Potosi, arrived last night's arrivals from Mexico. It is reported that the priests were held up enroute from San Luis Potosi and robbed of 4000 pesos.

CONTRABAND SEIZED.

EL PASO, Aug. 1.—The United States Army Patrol confiscated yesterday 15,000 cartridges being crossed into Mexico at this point. Under the present army regulations munitions only may be held when caught actually being carried across the border. The automobile which carried the cartridges from an arms store in El Paso also carried an American soldier who had clambered on the rear of the car. Just before the line was reached the soldier leaped over the back of the machine and with a leveled rifle, commanded the driver to halt.

An unofficial report reached the border of a battle south of Queretaro between Constitutional troops and Federal irregulars under General Pascual Orozco.

The Constitutionalists were repulsed, the report said, losing 200 killed of a total of 400 men engaged.

TO HONOR MEMORY OF LATE CHURCH OFFICER

ELMHURST, Aug. 1.—A memorial service will be held tomorrow morning in the Elmhurst Baptist Church in memory of the late W. H. Moore, an officer of the church, whose death occurred recently in a sanitarium in Colorado. Rev. F. J. Drexler will officiate at the service.

Moore was well known in Elmhurst. An account of his death was sent to a Colorado sanitarium. His family were called when his condition became worse and were at the bedside at the time of his death.

INTERESTS FORCE INFLATED VALUES

So Asserts Railroad Commission, in Statement Exposing Program.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—A charge of mental dishonesty and gross exaggeration of values is made against the engineers of the Coast Valleys Gas and Electric Company by the railroad commission today in a decision denying to the corporation a rehearing. The matter was brought to the attention of the commission by the city of Monterey, which complained that the gas rates were unreasonable. On June 30 the commission reduced the rate from \$1.50 to \$1.20 a thousand feet.

Engineers employed by the company estimated the reproduction cost of the corporation at \$253,102.89. The figures of the commission were \$150,000 less and in their decision the engineers disagree with an enormous extent, one or the other of them must be mentally dishonest. In applying for a rehearing the company made objection to this statement, among other things.

The commission answering the objection and in rendering its opinion denying the rehearing, says:

REITERATES LANGUAGE. "The commission used the language therein found advisable and used the mildest terms that seemed applicable to such a case when it designated as mental dishonesty the practice of engineers in attempting to affect values by every conceivable addition that can be thought of through the means of multifarious intangibles. We reiterate the statement made in the opinion that the valuation presented in this case does violate the principles of consistency, and while we regret that such language should wound the feelings of any one, still we believe that this commission is in duty bound to call attention to the practices on the part of public utility engineers acting as witnesses invariably to exaggerate their values. We cannot see why a public tribunal should be criticised merely because of the fact that it is awake to a program that is being conceived and carried forward before its very eyes. That there is a program on the part of large financial concerns interested in public utility securities, particularly in the stock of public utilities for which ordinarily no money has been paid, to exaggerate the value of the property of these public utilities, in our opinion admits of no doubt. That their procedure is not natural makes it more the less deserving of censure and worthy to be on its guard."

ROOF FIRE EXTINGUISHED. A small blaze in the roof of a house owned by Miss Mary B. Post, 125 Eleventh street, called out the fire department shortly before noon today. The fire was immediately extinguished with small damage and no one injured.

White House Is Scene of Last Effort to Prevent Conflict.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—President Wilson had an engagement today to meet representatives of the managers of 95 western railroads and their workmen in a determined effort to prevent a possible strike of 58,000 engineers and firemen on those roads. The president had arranged for the conference after futile efforts of the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation to bring the two sides together. Judge William L. Chambers and Judge Martin A. Knapp of the board had conferred with the president preliminary to today's meeting.

The president was to make a direct appeal to both sides to settle their differences without a strike. He was to tell them that because of the European war and the necessity of moving the harvests in the west, a strike now would be disastrous to the country.

Arrangements had been made for the president to confer with representatives of the managers first and then with the employees after which it was understood, both sides were to confer again with the mediation board.

31,000,000 AFFECTED. Judge Chambers and Judge Knapp had told the president that more than 31,000,000 people live along the railroads affected by the threatened strike and that many thousands of others would be thrown out of work in the event of a strike. Representatives of the employees at today's conference included Warren S. Stone, Grand Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and W. S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers. Representatives of the railroad managers included: A. W. Trenholm, general manager of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railroads; J. W. Higgins, general manager of the Missouri Pacific; E. C. Baughman, president of the Chicago terminal of the Baltimore and Ohio; T. W. Morrissey, assistant to the vice president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy; P. C. Hart, general manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; D. W. Campbell, assistant general manager of the Southern Pacific; Grant Hall, general manager of the Canadian Pacific; J. H. Keefe, assistant general manager of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe; W. S. Martin, general manager of the Denver and Rio Grande; J. T. Toller, general superintendent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific; H. F. Surry, superintendent of the Northern Pacific and J. M. Buckley, superintendent of the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation Company.

Cripple Kills Two Robber Assailants

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 1.—Two robbers who broke into the home of William Newhouse, 68 years old, a farmer living four miles from here, were shot and killed by Newhouse, but not until after the farmer, who is a cripple, had been beaten so severely by the intruders that he died from his wounds. The robbers entered the house and attacked Mrs. Newhouse, a 60-year-old widow, who was seriously injured. She is not expected to recover. Newhouse witnessed the attack upon his wife from another room and procured a gun and went to her defense. During the fight between the robbers and the farmer Mrs. Newhouse was killed. The robbers were notified the sheriff. The robbers are supposed to have been seeking \$50,000 Newhouse was reported to have had concealed in his home. The identity of the robbers has not been established.

Mob Lynchs Negro for Killing Indian

ETPAULA, Okla., Aug. 1.—Crocket Williams, a negro held in jail charged with the murder of Johnson King, an Indian, was taken from the jail here by a mob early this morning and lynched.

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ROWELL AND HENEY ADDRESS MEETING

Progressive Aspirants for U. S. Senator Tell of Party History.

Chester H. Rowell and Francis J. Heney, two opposing candidates for nomination to the U. S. Senate, spoke from the same platform last night at the Plymouth Congregational church. They urged their respective ambitions and lauded the Progressive party and its principles. Both were equally applauded. Heney spoke first, outlining his last year's record as a legislator, which he declares he intends to preach throughout the country. He then left the meeting to appear at the other session at the Hotel Oakland.

HENEY'S ADDRESS BRIEF.

Heney's address was brief on account of his haste to attend the Hotel Oakland meeting. He declared that bad laws destroy opportunity, that the Progressive party is the only party that can give California such government.

"As for me," he declared, "I want to preach Progressivism, as I see it, through the length and breadth of the country."

Rowell spoke more on the history of the party and its aims than on his own candidacy, outlining in brief the start of the organization, telling of its achievements and mentioning its leaders.

"Progressivism means the overthrow of tyranny," declared Rowell. "It symbolizes the progress of the world in legislation, and in executive and judicial departments of the government as well as an insurance let us regard the National Commission of California."

GIVES PARTY HISTORY.

"From 1907 until 1910 the commission heard ten contested cases and since then over 100, 000 of which were uncontested."

Rowell traced the growth of the party from a meeting of seven men in Los Angeles in 1907 and told of the Roosevelt campaign, the Chicago convention and other details in the formation of the present organization of the party.

The meeting was one of a series being held at Plymouth Center, at which from time to time different parties will present their candidates. The meeting last night was turned over to the Progressives, while the Republicans will be heard on August 14.

Two candidates for nomination to Congress, J. Arthur Egan and William R. Geary of East Oakland, were heard, and William H. Satterwhite, candidate for Assemblyman from the 37th district, was also a speaker.

W. H. Jenkins spoke briefly on the Progressive party.

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MARTINEZ IS LOSER IN BIG WATERFRONT SUIT

MARTINEZ, Aug. 1.—Under a decision rendered at Martinez by Superior Judge K. F. Mahon of Sutter county, sitting for Judge R. H. Lattimer of Contra Costa county, the city of Martinez loses water front tidelands valued at \$100,000, for control of which it has been fighting for some time. The decision brings to an end litigation begun six months ago, in which the Southern Pacific Company, the California Transportation Company and some sixty other defendants resisted the city's claim to valuable water front land. Judge Lattimer was disqualified from sitting at the hearing of the case by reason of being one of the defendants. The case grew out of land grants made by a previous State Legislature to the city of Martinez, subsequent to the incorporation of the latter. Later it was found that the incorporating act was invalid and the city forfeited title. Before the reincorporation took place the Legislature required the lands to private interests. According to the city of Martinez brought suit to obtain title. The decision assures title to the private owners.

J. M. O'Brien of San Francisco and City Attorney Leo F. Torrey represented Martinez in the litigation, and Attorneys W. S. Tinning, M. R. Jones and J. E. Rodgers the various defendants.

HARRY L. BOYLE, OAKLAND SCHOOL DIRECTOR, WHO IS CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK.

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Advocated the use of school buildings as social centers.

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Is a man of family, having four children, distributed in the following educational institutions: State University, high school, grammar school and one of kindergarten age.

Endorsed by the Carmen's Union No. 10, standing for economy and good will of over 1000 men, with whom he has been in constant relationship for more than 21 years.

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Thelma Thelmaire, the bride, is a soprano at a Los Angeles cafe. Convinced by the ardor of Stora's remarks, she acquiesced to the proposal, with the result that Stora immediately boarded a Limited for Los Angeles.

On arriving at the southern city the Oaklander made straight for the county marriage license bureau, and armed with the necessary document rushed to claim his bride.

The ceremony, performed yesterday by the Rev. Meyers of Los Angeles, was witnessed by several friends.

JAPAN FOR PEACE DECLARES NUMANO

Nation Welcomes Chance to Show Progress, He Says.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—"I am happy to be able to tell you that Japan will be the last country to be drawn into the vortex of war, which now looms large. Japan has shown her success in the arts of war upon two comparatively recent occasions and Japan now considers this a fitting opportunity to show her success in the arts of peace."

This statement was made by Acting Consul General T. Numano at the luncheon given yesterday at the Palace by the exposition officials in honor of Haruki Yamawaki, commissioner general of Japan to the exposition.

Consul General Numano was the second speaker at the luncheon to give assurance that the present plans for Japanese participation in 1915 will be carried out at that the building and exhibits will be ready when the exposition is opened.

Commissioner General Yamawaki told the guests that although actual work had been started late the exhibit surely would be ready next February.

"There were two purposes in my hurried trip here," he said. "One was to confer with the exposition officials upon several matters and trouble them with many questions. The other was to see the Japanese residents of San Francisco, that we may all contribute to the success of the exposition."

"The Japanese in California are greatly interested in the coming exposition and they have organized an association to do their share and make the exposition an immense success."

"My present work is done and I am going to Japan tomorrow to make the final arrangements for our participation."

"But I wish to say one word to the exposition authorities and the citizens of San Francisco: Although the Japanese government was in a difficult situation on account of some unpleasant news from California and did not decide upon participation until quite recently, the plan of our participation outlined to you two years ago has not been changed at all."

The first toast proposed was to the President of the United States and to his imperial majesty, the Emperor of Japan, both of which were drunk standing. President Moore spoke of the intimate relations existing between the two nations and expressed the gratification of the exposition at the marked interest taken by Japan in the forthcoming celebration.

WAR BRINGS RICHES TO MESSENGER BOY

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Whatever it may be to any one else, war means prosperity to the messenger boy, as the youth employed by local companies can testify.

A red-headed youngster awaiting an opportunity to go out and collect a message for transmission, was sent today to the National City Bank, the largest institution in New York, in response to a call from the vice-president's office. The youth left in the expectation of getting the regular fee of 2 cents paid for every message brought in by a boy. It is not recorded that he hurried unduly on his way to the bank, but it is vouched for he made a world of speed coming back.

The National City Bank, like all other banks here with outside branches, had voted not to issue any more letters of credit, because of the unsettled conditions in Europe. As a result, when the messenger arrived he was given 14,000 telegrams, all addressed to branches and agencies, instructing them to that effect.

At 2 cents a message, the messenger boy, who left his office with just a nickel in his pocket, returned to it worth \$280. He nearly collapsed with joy. Other messenger boys also reaped a harvest due to war messages.

T. R. DEFINES HIS FUSION ATTITUDE

Progressive Candidate for Governor of Maine Gets Statement.

OSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 1.—H. P. Gardner, Progressive candidate for governor of Maine, called on Theodore Roosevelt yesterday and received from the former President a typewritten statement and a letter to be read by Mr. Gardner when he opens his gubernatorial campaign. In the two communications Colonel Roosevelt defined his attitude on the question of fusion between Progressives and Republicans. The Progressives, the colonel said, would be delighted to work with Republicans endeavoring to overthrow Republican political bosses, but would not align themselves with the "old line type" of Republicans.

Mr. Roosevelt's pronouncement was called forth by Mr. Gardner's statement to him that the Progressives of Maine were alarmed by published reports of a contemplated general fusion with Republicans.

SALUTE RETIRING CAPTAIN.

Every time the Newark passed the other of the Southern Pacific ferry boats yesterday afternoon there was a loud tooting of steam whistles with three short blasts a reply from the Newark. The captains of the other boats were saluting Captain Richard Bradley, for twenty years master of ferry boats in the Southern Pacific service and whose retirement began this morning.

HOTELMAN SEES OAKLAND.

Walter Raymond, wealthy hotel proprietor of Pasadena, and his wife and family were guests at the Hotel Oakland yesterday. They were shown around Oakland by Manager Victor Reiter, who is a friend of Raymond. The Raymond hotel, one of the big Southern hostels, is owned by Raymond.

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LAFAYETTE PIONEER IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

LAFAYETTE, Aug. 1.—Peter Thompson, oldest pioneer of Lafayette, passed away yesterday morning, after a brief illness of three weeks, at his home in Contra Costa county.

Thompson was born in Lennox, Canada, on March 29, 1838. Leaving Canada in 1859, he came to California, where he took a position under Horace Car-

the latter part of 1859 he tramped over to Lafayette, establishing a blacksmith shop and has been continuously there at the anvil until the beginning of his illness.

He is survived by a wife and six children. Mrs. Charles Derby, Mrs. Henry Cross, Mrs. Frank Russell, William, Frank and Peter Thompson, Jr.

Funeral services will be held from the family home Monday afternoon and interred in the Lafayette cemetery.

EXAMINATIONS FOR ACADEMY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Representative Stephens yesterday named the following to take examinations for appointment to the United States Military Academy: Roland Stenzel, Los Angeles, principal, Leon C. Long, Redondo Beach, first alternate, Major J. Sams, Los Angeles, second alternate.

CLUB IS INCORPORATED.

The board of directors of the Commercial Club, a membership club, yesterday decided to incorporate the club under the laws of the state. Articles of incorporation will be submitted to the members for approval at a special membership meeting next Wednesday, August 5, at 12:30 o'clock.

BENEFIT FOR CHURCH.

A whist tournament will be given at the whist of Columbus hall, Fifth and Oak streets, on Friday evening, August 1, for the benefit of St. Catherine's church, Monte Rio. Among those who are working to make the affair successful are: Miss L. Flynn, Mrs. J. Meison, Mrs. J. Melton, Miss Emma Fennecy, Mrs. R. Brady, Mrs. R. Cruz, Mrs. J. P. Kelly.

SIX PRISONERS ESCAPE.

WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 1.—Six prisoners escaped from the county jail here last night by sawing through steel bars. Police officers and deputy sheriffs have organized posse and are pursuing the country.


NEW INTER-OCEAN LINE MAY HAVE PORT HERE

Oakland will probably be the port of call of a new line of steamships, the Panama Pacific Line, which will commence running between New York and the Pacific Coast early in 1915. The Chamber of Commerce has received word from the International Mercantile Marine Company of New York of the new service of first class steamers which may ply between New York and Oakland. The vessels will be 580 feet in length and sixty feet in breadth and of 22,000 tons displacement. They will be first class passenger and freight steamers and special provision will be made for carrying automobiles as excess baggage.

No definite port of call on the Pacific Coast has yet been settled by the new company, although Oakland's advantages as a port are being considered.

The municipal wharves will be in shape to accommodate large vessels early in 1915, which circumstance will be a factor in inducing the steamship company to make this its harbor.

Lively satisfaction has been created among the commercial organizations and others engaged in developing Oakland's waterfront over the prospect of the Panama-Pacific Line calling here.



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